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Kowloon ..... Dep.	6.40	9.05	9.28	9.15	10.16	12.00	1.18	2.35	4.02	4.41	5.35	7.40
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Shatin ..... Dep.	7.00	...	...	9.37	10.36	12.20	1.38	...	...	5.02	5.55	8.00
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Taipo Market ..... Dep.	7.19	...	...	9.57	10.54	12.37	1.55	...	...	5.19	6.12	8.17
Fanling ..... Dep.	7.30	...	...	10.09	11.04	12.47	2.05	...	...	5.29	6.22	8.27
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Shumchun ..... Arr.	7.41	9.44	9.11	10.20	11.15	12.58	2.16	3.20	4.40	5.40	6.33	8.38
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS.

TO-DAY.

(April 25.)

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Anzac Day.

Anzac Dinner at Hong Kong Hotel.

Wreath to be placed on Cenotaph by Australians and New Zealanders.

Lecture in University Union Assembly Hall by Prof. R. Robertson on "Machiavelli," 8.30 p.m.

Meeting of China Sports Ltd., 12 noon.

P.W.D. Auction Sale of Crown Land, 3 p.m.

Racing: Entries close for Fifth Extra Race Meeting, noon.

Hockey: Club seconds *v.* Jats (King's Park) 5.30 p.m.

Queen's Theatre: "Susan Lennox."

King's Theatre: "Stepping Sisters."

Central Theatre: "The Mad Parade."

World Theatre: "City Lights."

Star Theatre: "One Romantic Night."

Tea Dances at King's Restaurant and Hong Kong Hotel; Dinner Dances at Peninsula Hotel, Hong Kong Hotel and King's Restaurant.

Cheero Club, final dance of season at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, 8.30 p.m.

European Mail:—Outward: Europe *via* Suez (Calchas) 3 p.m.

TUESDAY.

(April 26.)

Rotary Club Tiffin, Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, 1 p.m.

Village Road Murder Trial Opens at Central Magistracy, 2.30 p.m.

King's Theatre: "Stepping Sisters."

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WHEN BRITISH BOBBIES FOUGHT FOR THE GOD OF LOVE!

CLOTHES AND TALKIES AND THE GRAND NATIONAL.

[11TH LETTER TO HELENA OF HONG KONG FROM JACYNTHA.]

LONDON, March 30.

Spring has come at last, my dear Helena and London is waking up again. At every street corner the cheerful flower vendors ply their barrows stacked with masses of fragrant daffodils, with tulips mauve and pink, with wide-eyed anemonies and with sprays of pussy-willow, and only yesterday I bought my first bunch of primroses. Trees are in bud, the Park is full of crocuses and the shops are full of Spring fashions. Wonderful to relate, all the new models are most attractive. Gone is the hideous "Glengarry," those suits of frightful flecked tweed, the completely tubular skirt and the skin-tight evening gown. After months of the most uncompromising garments, the Powers-That-Be are actually going to permit us to look nice again! If it be really true that the new fashions are all-British, then let us take off our hats to British designers and dressmakers; may they live long and prosper.

WOOL, AND WOOLLIES EVERYWHERE.

I have heard such a lot about Australia lately and have been told that this great country went bankrupt because the sheep-farmers could not sell their wool: well I guess they have sold it all now, and then some! And I imagine that London has bought the lot, for almost every garment I see appears to be made of it. All the little jersey-frocks have tops of wool in every contrasting or harmonising hue. There are woven tops, knitted tops and there are tops of crochet so fine it looks like lace. To wear with these are caps, with a scarf to match each one. Such things are just the wear for chilly spring mornings in England,—perhaps they will not commend themselves to dwellers in Hong Kong just yet awhile, but I predict that you will appreciate them when autumn comes. The latest skirts are gored into an easy flair and are worn with the sweetest little knitted waistcoats, sometimes sleeveless and sometimes not, but all of them fastened with four buttons of gilt or chromium: this mode would be quite ideal for the links at Fanling. For afternoon, you must get a dress of flowered georgette with a small coatee to match and a large shady straw with a low crown. Oh yes, my dear Helena, you are going to look quite bewitching this spring and your boy-friend will adore you.

POOR MR. DE VALERA!

There was lots of exitement over the Grand National in London all last week. The evening papers came out immediately after breakfast every morning, so that ticket-holders could spend the rest of the day searching for their names in the list of winners of the Irish Sweep. I've been told in confidence (so you must not repeat it) that poor Mr. de Valera drew a blank and was so annoyed when he heard that most of the money was going to England in prizes, that he determined to get it back somehow! So he sent a letter round saying he intended to repudiate his Oath and that he would not pay the money due on Land Purchase Annuities: so silly of him. If countries start by repudiating oaths, they might end by repudiating prize-money; in which case no-one outside Ireland would risk buying sweep tickets and that would be a terrible loss to the Emerald Isle.

EROS AND—OXFORD!

Right on the heels of the Grand National came the Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race. The result was a foregone conclusion to those who had seen the respective crews in training and so was the resultant "celebrating" in the West End that night. The Rugby International match was played that same afternoon and the crowds in Theatreland at night had to be seen

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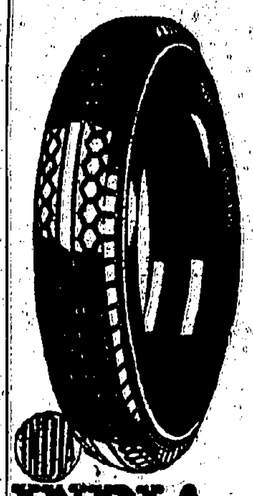

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to be believed. Of course Piccadilly Circus was the centre of gravity (I mean the centre of frivolity) as usual. The now famous statue of Eros has but lately returned to his watery perch above the fountain, and you might imagine that Londoners would be too pleased to see him back to risk damaging him again,—but you would be wrong: it took a cordon of policemen to protect poor Eros at midnight last Saturday. The vision of a ring of burly British "Bobbies," valiantly defending the Greek God of Love from the hilarity of a Piccadilly mob ought to make the old Olympians stir in their sleep, and the heart of every London housemaid beat with hope!

PINK BATHS AND BLUE BATHS.

You ask me to tell you something about the British Industries Fair,—well, it seemed to me very much like all other fairs and exhibitions I have seen. Among things which caught my eye were the new furnishings for bath-rooms. I saw pink baths and blue baths and baths in palest green, all with handbasins to match above which were fan-shaped mirrors with electric lights on each side, concealed in tubes of frosted glass: such luxuries would transform into poetry even the prosaic business of getting up in the morning. A bed-room novelty was a mantelpiece made intirely of panels of sapphire glass, to complete it was a mirror, unframed, but edged with a strip of blue looking-glass, it was made by a Birmingham firm and was indescribably lovely. Glass seems to be increasingly popular. The Lalique-glass ornaments make most acceptable wedding-presents and there is a regular cult for coloured table-glass.

ENTRANCING LUNCHEON TABLE.

I went to a luncheon party the other day: the cloth was the open-embroidery type and might have come from Hong Kong. The tumblers, wine-glasses, sweet-dishes and flower-bowl were of sparkling violet-tinted glass; the table-napkins were lavender and the flowers in the low centre-bowl were white and purple anemonies: the whole effect was entrancing. I seldom mention "talkies" in my letters because I am convinced that you see them long before they reach England,—presumably they come to these shores from America *via* Suez. So I feel sure you have already enjoyed "Congress Dances" and "Shanghai Express!" However I saw the other day a film which had obviously been "shot" in Europe and was so extra nice that I really must recommend it to you. It is called "Sunshine Susie." It stars Owen Nares and Jack Hulbert who are both quite marvelously good So be on the look-out and don't miss it. A new Jack Buchanan film comes out next week and I shall be there, for I am an admirer of his as well as being.—Your devoted friend.

JACYNTHA.

LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONG KONG.

"Probation after Death" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 24.

The Golden Text was.—"He knoweth the way that I take: when he hath tried me, I shall come forth as gold." (Job 23; 10).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible.—"Many shall be purified, and made white, and tried; but the wicked shall do wickedly: and none of the wicked shall understand; but the wise shall understand. But go thou thy way till the end be: for thou shalt rest, and stand in thy lot at the end of the days." (Daniel 12; 10, 13.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.—"Understanding little about the divine Principle which saves and heals, mortals get rid of sin, sickness, and death only in belief, these errors are not thus really destroyed, and must therefore cling to mortals until here or hereafter, they gain the true understanding of God in the Science which destroys human delusions about Him and reveals the grand realities of His allness." (P. 328.)

HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS.

F.A. CUP FAVOURITES FOILED: NEWCASTLE'S GREAT TRIUMPH OVER ARSENAL.

UNEXPECTED DEFEAT FOR EVERTON IN THE LEAGUE FROM MIDDLESBROUGH.

Everton, the League leaders, had an unexpected reverse on Saturday when they travelled to Middlesbrough. They lost the points by the only goal of the match, which was unfortunate, as a win would have made them champions whatever the outcome of the remaining three matches. Sheffield Wednesday continue to occupy second place, five points behind the leaders and three games in hand.

Leeds United, aspirants for promotion from the Second Division, were beaten, but the Wolves took full points to make themselves sure of promotion.

Glasgow Rangers were forced to a draw and thereby forfeited the small hope they had of drawing level with the leaders, Motherwell, who are now the champions.

League results, Reuter's description of the F.A. Cup Final, and corrected League tables are appended.

F.A. CUP FINAL THRILLS.

HOW NEWCASTLE FOILED THE ARSENAL.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, April 23.

Newcastle United defeated the Arsenal by two goals to one in the F.A. Cup Final played at Wembley Stadium this afternoon.

The appearance of the sun before noon prompted Their Majesties the King and Queen to attend.

A huge crowd of 92,000 sang the National Anthem as the King and Queen arrived at ten minutes to three. The two teams filed out a few minutes later, and the players shook hands with His Majesty on the field.

Parker, the Arsenal skipper, won the toss and, on a springy turf, Allen kicked off for Newcastle.

Arsenal attacked immediately but Fairhurst relieved, passing back to McInroy, in goal. Newcastle were, finding their pace and the ground better than the Londoners, two quick corners giving the Southern team some trouble.

Good work by Jack, at inside-right, enabled Hulme to get in a troublesome centre and McInroy had difficulty in tipping Bastin's shot over the bar, his fine anticipation saving a certain goal.

Jack was dangerous, initiating several attacks, but McInroy was equal to all emergencies. Arsenal continued to attack and John, their outside-left, headed the ball in after twelve minutes' play from a melee round the goal-mouth.

Level at Half-time.

John, who is really a half-back, was conspicuous on the left wing and nearly scored a second time. After several anxious moments Newcastle attacked; but Hapgood checked the threatening movement.

Bastin sent in Hulme, but McInroy, who was playing a magnificent game, saved his shot at point-blank range, and then fisted out John's return header.

Newcastle returned to the attack; and their forwards, adepts at the short-passing game, frequently threatened the Arsenal goal. The game was now running from end to end. Jack twice narrowly failed with headers and then Roberts twice intervened when Parker miskicked.

Eight minutes before the interval Boyd, the Newcastle left winger, got away on his own and centred, placing the ball inches between Moss and the goalpost. Allen dashed in and equalised.

Newcastle kept up the pressure, and were very unlucky when Moss made the save of a lifetime from a stinging shot from Boyd.

The score at half-time was 1—1.

Newcastle Lead.

After the interval Newcastle resumed brilliantly. Weaver swept the ball across the Arsenal goal mouth, where Moss, by cleverly anticipating the centre, was in a position to effect a remarkable save at close range from Boyd's header.

Arsenal missed a great chance when, in a moment of excitement, Jack flung up his hands when Hulme centred. Newcastle were monopolising the game, but their forwards repeatedly missed chances through miskicking in front of goal.

Allen sent in a sharp rising shot which had the Arsenal defence in a tangle but Moss saved superbly.

McMenemy and Lambert were injured in a tackle but resumed.

Newcastle took the lead when the second half had been in progress for twenty-seven minutes, when Roberts miskicked and let in Allen, who shot into the left corner of the net, well clear of Moss.

Arsenal's Failure.

The Arsenal missed a golden opportunity a few minutes later when Bastin put the ball in front of goal, but Jack, who was playing centre-forward, shot weakly. Richardson went off injured, but returned later limping to the field. The Arsenal were now playing in a most desperate manner and accuracy suffered in consequence.

Newcastle delighted their supporters with their fine swinging passes and were still pressing at the finish. They thoroughly deserved their victory for persistently playing according to plan in the cleverest manner which worried the Arsenal defence in the second half by keeping the ball against the sun's rays.

The Arsenal defence was subjected to heavy pressure. The half backs had no time to feed their forwards with their usual assiduous passes. The Newcastle attack was more forceful, Allen, the dashing leader, giving Boyd plenty of opportunities to show off his speed.

The final result was Newcastle 2, Arsenal 1.

Up for the Cup.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

LONDON, April 23.

Six miles of L.N.E.R. trains and sixty-one L.M.S. special trains disgorged thousand of Tynesiders into London to-day, "up for the cup."

They were all decorated with black and white, Newcastle's colours, but at Wembley they found plenty of red and white Arsenal supporters to balance the colour schemes.

Among those seeing the match were Lord and Lady Snowden, Mr. J. H. Thomas, Sir Samuel Hoare and the Indian cricketers.

LEAGUE RESULTS.

Division I.

Aston Villa	5	Sheffield U.	0
Bolton	1	Manchester C.	1
Chelsea	0	West Brom.	2
Grimsby	2	Derby	1
Leicester	1	Blackburn	0
Liverpool	1	Portsmouth	3
M'brough	1	Everton	0
Wednesday	3	Sunderland	2
West Ham	2	Birmingham	4

Division II.

Bradford	1	Millwall	2
Burnley	1	Notts County	1
Charlton	3	Bury	0
Chesterfield	2	Barnsley	2
Manchester U	1	Bradford C.	0
Notts Forest	0	*Swansea*	1
Preston N. E.	5	Plymouth	2
Southampton	1	Bristol C.	1
Stoke	1	Oldham	1
Tottenham	3	Leeds	1
Wolves	2	Port Vale	0

Division III. (South).

Bournemouth	4	Thames	2
Brighton	7	Gillingham	0
Bristol R.	0	Southend	0
Clapton O.	3	Northampton	2
Crystal Pal.	1	Brentford	0
Mansfield	3	Coventry	3
Norwich	3	Luton	3
Queen's Park	3	Fulham	1
Swindon	1	Cardiff	4
Torquay	1	Reading	4
Watford	1	Exeter	0

Division III. (North).

Accrington	3	Barrow	0
Carlisle	0	Lincoln	3
Crewe	1	Chester	0
Rochdale	1	Hartlepools	3
Rotherham	2	Gateshead	1
Southport	3	Darlington	0
Stockport	3	New Brighton	1
Tranmere	4	Walsall	1
Wrexham	2	Hull	1
York	7	Halifax	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Celtic	3	Kilmarnock	1
Clyde	1	Rangers	1
Cowdenbeath	1	Airdrie	0
Patrick	1	Hamilton	6

LEAGUE TABLES.

Division I.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Everton	39	25	3	11	115	63	53
Wednesday	39	21	9	12	92	75	48
Arsenal	38	19	9	10	78	46	47
H'field	39	18	10	11	76	57	46
W. Brom.	41	20	6	14	74	52	46
Sheffield U.	40	20	6	14	70	60	46
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Bradford	40	21	7	12	71	56	49
Bury	40	21	6	13	68	54	48
Plymouth	40	18	9	13	92	65	45
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Notts For.	40	16	9	15	75	69	41
Tottenham	40	15	11	14	85	75	41
M'chester	40	17	7	16	69	69	41
Millwall	40	16	8	16	39	61	40
S'pton	40	17	6	17	85	75	40
Charlton	40	15	9	16	54	62	39
Preston	40	14	10	16	72	77	38
C'terfield	40	13	11	16	63	80	37
Swansea	40	15	6	19	70	74	36
Notts C.	40	11	12	17	64	81	35
Oldham	40	13	9	18	59	80	35
Burnley	40	12	9	19	58	85	33
Barnsley	40	12	8	20	52	85	32
Port Vale	40	11	8	21	54	88	29
Bristol C.	40	5	11	24	37	74	21

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Reading	40	21	9	10	90	67	51
Southend	40	19	11	10	89	51	49
Crystal P.	40	19	10	11	73	63	48
Exeter	40	20	7	13	76	58	47
Brighton	40	17	11	12	71	53	45
Luton	41	19	7	15	92	68	45
Cardiff	40	19	7	14	88	71	45
Norwich	40	16	12	12	72	62	44
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N'ampton	41	15	7	19	66	68	37
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Swindon	40	14	6	20	68	76	34
Bristol R.	40	13	8	19	62	97	34
Clapton	40	12	10	18	77	85	34
Torquay	40	12	9	19	70	97	33
Mansfield	40	11	9	20	70	103	31
Gillingham	40	9	8	23	38	81	26
Thames	40	6	9	25	50	106	21

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Gateshead	39	24	7	8	92	49	55
Crewe	40	21	6	13	95	66	48
Chester	39	20	8	11	74	58	48
Barrow	39	23	1	15	92	57	47
Tranmere	38	16	10	10	101	55	46
Southport	39	18	10	11	58	50	46
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Queen's P.	37	13	5	19	59	78	31
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Airdrie	37	12	6	19	71	81	30
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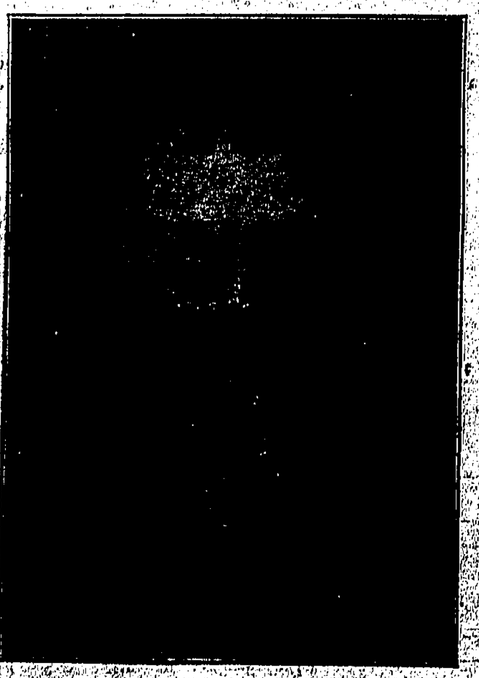

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STRANGE WAR FILM AT CENTRAL THEATRE.

The working hours during the production of Paramount's "The Mad Parade" were at the opposite side of the clock from the ordinary working day.

The cast and crew worked from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. each day filming exterior scenes. A location covering more than 100 acres near Culver City, California, was leased for the filming of battle scenes for the picture.

A tent city was thrown up with a tent acting as dressing room for each of Evelyn Brent, Irene Rich, Louise Fazenda, Lilyan Tashman, Marceline Day, Fritzi Ridgeway, June Clyde and Elizabeth and Helen Keating.

The girls drove trucks along a mined road. Charges of dynamite were exploded all around them and one truck was intentionally overturned by an explosion beneath it.

Hundreds of lights were used to illuminate the large area and scores of magnesium aerial bombs were exploded to furnish realistic lighting.

Midnight lunches were served to the nine feminine members of the cast and the more than 100 male technicians. With the location only two miles from the Pacific Ocean, the nights were cold and damp, heavy fog sometimes rolling in and being used to "double" for poison gas.

Coffee was served all night, a fresh supply being made every few hours. Sandwiches were kept handy and the players spent their time between scenes resting in their tents from the cold, the mud and the rain which added a realistic touch to "Flander's fields."

More than two tons of dynamite were exploded in creating battle effects with the feminine players carefully placed so that their danger would appear on the screen without constituting an unreasonable hazard.

"The Mad Parade," revealing the experiences of nine girls comprising a canteen troup, along the Western Front, is a William Beaudine production showing at the Central Theatre to-day.

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AGATHA CHRISTIE THRILLER.

COMING TO QUEEN'S THEATRE.

Mystery stories have a strong attraction for all classes, and in "Black Coffee" which the Queen's is showing on Thursday, there is a holding mystery right to the very end. It is an Agatha Christie thriller concerning the murder of a scientist who was given hyoscine in his coffee. The identity of the murderer is hidden until right at the end of the picture, the construction of the drama leaving everyone in doubt during its development. Austin Trevor plays the part of Hercule Poirot and Adrianne Allen is the feminine star.

"HUMANITY."

AN OUTSTANDING CHINESE FILM.

PRIVATE SHOWING AT QUEEN'S THEATRE.

One of the best pictures I have ever seen in the Colony was shown to a private audience at the Queen's Theatre on Saturday morning, when, through the courtesy of the management, the United Photoplay Service were enabled to give a screening of their wonderful film, "Humanity," to a large gathering of prominent Chinese residents and representatives of the Press.

The story is a powerful one and contrasts the sufferings and hardships of the poor in China to-day and the luxury and waste that goes on amongst the wealthy. The theme is based on the famine in Shensi in 1930 and the plight of those in the affected areas, even the wealthiest of the villagers, is shown with horrible reality. While all this suffering is going on, life in the city is proceeding with much gaiety and callousness and the appeals of those who are working to succour the sufferers fall on deaf ears.

One of the incidents of the film shows a young mother, with her only son, both in a half starved state, journeying from her home, once the leading place in the village but now stripped of everything, to a relief station ten miles away where rice is being handed out. Owing to the shortage of relief funds, however, the rice is all given out before the mother arrives. Forced to get something to eat and to take something home to a starving father on his deathbed, the woman exchanges her son for rice!

In the matter of giving the world a true glimpse of life in China, the producers have accomplished far more in their film than any author or lecturer has ever done through book or lecture.

The film is worthy of the attention of not only the students of China, but also of every father who has sons in schools and colleges and of every foreigner who would know something of the life and existence of villagers in China. S.H.

"SKYLINE" AND ITS HEROINE.

COMING ATTRACTIONS AT KING'S.

While she believes in "Irish luck," to a certain degree, Maureen O'Sullivan, the charming screen actress featured in the Fox picture "Skyline," coming next Thursday to the King's Theatre, has more confidence in the efficacy of prayer.

"Supplication has never failed me but once. I used to pray to be made beautiful, but I'm afraid I didn't pray hard enough."

Many consider her, however, one of the most beautiful girls in Hollywood.

"Frequently I prayed for something exciting to happen to me," continued Miss O'Sullivan, "and it being selected to play with John McCormack wasn't exciting, then I don't know what could be.

"Naturally, I was confronted by the obstacle of parental objection. I managed to win mother over, and, together, we worked on my father until his consent was gained.

"The rest is history. I played the *rôle* in "Song O' My Heart," first in the scenes in Ireland and then in the United States. I can't tell what it meant to me."

Following her success in the McCormack picture, Miss O'Sullivan played opposite another internationally famous figure, Will Rogers, in "So This Is London." Next she filled the leading feminine *rôle* opposite Charles Farrell in "The Princess-And-The-Plumber." Then came "A Connecticut Yankee," wherein she again played opposite Will Rogers.

In "Skyline," she enacts the feminine lead, featured with Thomas Meighan, Hardie Albright, Myrna Loy and Donald Dillaway, under Sam Taylor's direction.

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KING'S THEATRE

"STEPPING SISTERS."

A sparkling cast, a rollicking comedy replete with hilarious situations, and a number of musical novelties are the elements that combine to make "Stepping Sisters," the Fox picture which opened at the King's Theatre yesterday, one of the most amusing farces to have come to the screen. The cast includes many well-known personalities of the screen and stage, among them being Louise Dresser, Minna Gombell, Jobyna Howland, William Collier Sr., Howard Phillips, Ferdinand Munier, Stanley Smith, Barbara Weeks and Mary Forbes.

The plot of "Stepping Sisters" revolves around the exposure of a former burlesque chorus queen by two of her former associates in the show. They meet under unusual circumstances at an entertainment given for charity and all agree to keep secret the past of the one who has entered the realm of society and at whose lavish Long Island home the fete is being given.

During the action of the picture, several new musical numbers and a singing and dancing novelty are introduced. "Stepping Sisters," based on Howard Warren Comstock's successful stage play, affords Miss Dresser, Miss Gombell and Miss Howland unusual opportunities for comedy and Collier is said to have a *rôle* tailored to his measure.

There is not a dull moment throughout the show, an all-star cast romping through a series of side-splitting episodes. The zestful and delightful portrayals of Louise Dresser, Minna Gombell and Jobyna Howland stimulate the action to a high pitch and while every one of the cast played their part well, special mention must be made of Jobyna Howland, the stalwart six-foot blonde who has few equals as a comedienne. Those who saw her playing the part of "Mabel" in "The Gold Diggers" will be delighted to see how she has excelled herself in "Stepping Sisters" which can be thoroughly recommended to even the most fastidious film fan. It is indeed a picture deserving the full houses it is drawing at the King's Theatre.

GOSSIP & FACT.

Cool Claudette.

Claudette Colbert, who, with Lilyan Tashman, Lillian Bond and Melvyn Douglas, are finishing work on "The Wiser Sex," does not understand the meaning of stage fright, but admits that she feels uneasy if any extraneous detail threatens to spoil a scene in which she is playing.

Hollywood Chips.

The "Lupe" light, a conical-shaped contraption was named for Lupe Velez when working at Paramount in "Wolf Song," it is used on her in "The Broken Wing." Squash keeps Edmund Lowe, co-starring with Claudette Colbert in "Sensation," physically fit. A portable phonograph provides entertainment for Tallulah Bankhead between scenes on the set. . . Robert Coogan becomes so attached to props he uses in pictures that he wants to take them home, often does.

Maud Allan's Stage Return.

Maud Allan, who before the war was the sensation of London with her "Salome" dance at the Palace, is to return to the stage to play a very different type of part. She will appear as the Abbess in "The Miracle," at the Lyceum. This will mean resuming an interesting association, since Reinhardt, who is, of course, producing this revival of "The Miracle," presented her in classical dances in Berlin soon after she originally achieved fame.

A Monk's Secret.

An appealing story of the renunciation of love and the world by a musical genius, who is driven by a false accusation of murder to become a monk, is told in the new British talkie, "In a Monastery Garden."

Mr. John Stuart plays the part of Brother Michael, and Miss Joan Maude that of the girl.

Mr. McLaglen "Very Difficult."

Mr. Victor McLaglen is not to come to London to play the leading part in the talking picture adaptation of Mr. Jeffery Farnol's "The Broad Highway."

Mr. McLaglen accepted the leading part at a salary of £1,000 a week. It was intended to begin production early in June, and Mr. Jack Raymond, a film director, left London for Hollywood to consult Mr. McLaglen.

Mr. Raymond cabled that he had found Mr. McLaglen "very difficult," adding that he wanted to change Mr. Farnol's story. Shortly afterwards Mr. McLaglen cabled saying that without his own scenario writer he could not come to England. The next episode was a cable from Mr. Raymond saying that Mr. McLaglen's scenario writer would want £2,000 for his scenario and £100 a week.

"I will make a talking picture adaptation of 'The Broad Highway' this year as soon as I can find an English actor to play the part," was Mr. Wilcox last word.

Emil Janning's in London.

A distinguished foreign actor whom before long we shall have an opportunity of welcoming on the London stage is Emil Jannings, the famous film star, writes a Home dramatic critic. He will be presented by Stanley Scott, the young impresario who brought over Richard Tauber and who will, on April 14, produce "The Du Barry" at His Majesty's. Monckton Hoffe is at present busy on a play for Jannings, who will, of course, act in English. Jannings was an accomplished actor long before films became the vogue.

Some rehearsals for "The Du Barry" have already started, under the direction of Felix Edwardes, who produced many of Drury Lane's spectacular musical successes. Anny Ahlers, who will play the title-*rôle*, I found to be red-haired charming, and facially not at all unlike Mme. Du Barry herself.

A Young British Actor.

On paying a second visit to "The Cat and the Fiddle," the charm of which is difficult to resist, I was struck by the American essence of the performance of Fred Conyngham, who, with Gina Malo, plays a sort Astaire "hoofing" part. I thought even more highly of his cleverness when I learned from him that he is not American at all. In spite of the uncanny correctness of both his accent and his phrasing, "I am a young British actor," Mr. Conyngham tells me, "twenty-two years of age. Last year I appeared at the Gaiety, and I have just completed some film work for British International Pictures. In studying my part for 'The Cat and the Fiddle' I tried my best to become, as the part demanded, characteristically American." He has certainly succeeded.—*Evening Standard.*

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PROGRAMME FOR PIANO RECITAL.

On Friday, April 29, at the King's Theatre at 9.30 p.m.:

I

Toccata and Fugue, D minor ..... Bach-Busoni.
Pastorale and Caprio ..... Scarlatti
Sonata, op. 27 (Moonlight) ..... Beethoven.
Adagio sostenuto—Allegretto
Presto agitato.

II.

Fantaisie Impromptu C, sharp minor ..... Chopin.
Ballade G Minor ..... Chopin.
Waltz, A flat ..... Chopin.
Nocturne, D flat ..... Chopin.
Polonaise, A flat ..... Chopin.

III.

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"GRETA GARBO" AT THE QUEEN'S.

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Few film fans would deny that Greta Garbo is (with the possible exception of Charles Chaplin) the greatest "draw" to-day. The Queen's Theatre was full yesterday despite the heat and the lure of a really fine day. Nor were her admirers disappointed, for "Susan Lenox" gives the lovely Swedish star every opportunity to display her beauty and her powers of poignant acting.

The early scenes where she escapes from her savage uncle and the ogre to whom he wishes to marry her, and finds refuge with Rodney (played by Clark Gable) are the best. Offskins, a storm, a rough jersey and short skirt are the best setting for Greta's beauty. Ordinary good looks are heightened by lovely clothes, but that rare thing, beauty, is enhanced by surroundings and clothes that would kill ordinary prettiness.

The scenes in which Greta appears as successful courtesan, as circus and cabaret dancer are exceedingly well staged, and the tense dinner-table contest between Greta and Rodney, when she has become the mistress of a shady politician, is admirably conceived. There are also incidents in the tropical scenery "way down south," filmed with real beauty, and these things, together with the fine acting makes one forget that the story is not well knit or convincing. "Susan Lenox" is a long novel, and hard to pack into a film. But if you admire Greta Garbo—and who does not—you should take care not to miss the fine performance that she gives.

The Queen's Theatre has had a run of good films of late. "Susan Lenox," takes its place among them, and is it not the type of screen play that a critic can dismiss with a few words of trite praise.

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COMING SHORTLY TO THE KING'S

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[ORDERS BY LIEUT.-COL. L. G. BIRD, D.S.O., O.B.E.]

Parades.

Corps Band:—

All members of the Corps Band will parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, May 6, to meet the Band President.

Battery:—

1.—There will be a parade on Thursday, April 28, at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. for Signal and Lewis Gun Instruction.

2.—All ranks are reminded to keep Sunday, May 8, free for a mechanised parade in Hong Kong. Those who have not yet replied must do so at once. It is essential that every body turns out in order to make this a success. Details will be issued later.

Corps Signals:—

Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 26, for Signal Instruction.

Machine Gun Troop:—

Parade at Causeway Bay Stable at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, April 28, for Pack Saddle Drill.

Armoured Car Company:—

Car Section:—There will be a lecture at 5.30 p.m. at Headquarters on Monday, April 25.

Machine Gun Company:—

Kennedy Road Range is allotted for Casuals Part II. Rifle on Sunday, April 24.

Scottish Company:—

1.—Kennedy Road Range is allotted for Casuals Part II. Rifle on Sunday, April 24.

2.—Parades, Thursday, April 28, at 5.30 p.m.

No. 6 Platoon at Kowloon Dock under 2nd-Lieut. T. P. Saunderson.

No. 7 Platoon at Headquarters under 2nd-Lieut. A. W. Brown.

For Machine Gun Instruction.

Portuguese Company:—

1.—All ranks who have not fired Part II. Musketry will fire at Peak Range on Sunday, April 24. This is the last opportunity to fire for Efficiency.

Range Officer: 2nd-Lieut. J. Lawrence.

Firing will commence at 9 a.m.

2.—The Company's Annual Shoot will take place at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, May 1. Full details of competitions, times of lunches, etc., will be issued to every member of the Company in due course.

A.A.L.A. Company:—

1.—The A.P.C. Section will parade at 5.30 p.m. at North Point on Thursday, April 28.

2.—The Portuguese Section will parade at 5.30 p.m. at Headquarters on Friday, April 29.

The Officers Commanding the undermentioned Units will issue their Orders separately to their Commands:—

I.—Engineer Company.
II.—Armoured Car Company, Motor Cycle Section.

Range Duties.

Sunday, April 24, Lieut. D. M. Richards, Stonecutters.

Kennedy Road to be detailed later.

Annual Prize Distribution.

This function has been postponed until a date which will be notified later.

Alteration in Dress.

The Commandant has approved of the following alteration in the dress of the Armoured Car Section:—

Breeches will be abolished forthwith, and an extra pair of slacks issued in lieu.

Command.

Lieut. D. M. Richards assumes command of No. 1 Platoon vice Lieut. H. Owen Hughes (on leave) with effect from April 13, 1932.

Appointment.

No. 460 L/Bdr. H. T. Buxton, Battery, relinquishes his appointment with effect from April 15."

Struck Off the Strength.

Having Completed three Years' Service:—No. 845 Pte. C. H. Douglas, Reserve Company, as from October 13, 1931.

Having Left the Colony:—No. 1537 Tpr. T. Landers, Machine Gun Troop, as from April 7, 1932; No. 1118 Pte. R. Drummond, No. 7 Platoon, as from March 23, 1932.

Strength.

The following have been taken on the Strength:—

No. 1801 Pte. E. H. Watts, Lane, Crawford, Ltd., Motor Cycle Section, as from April 18, 1932.

No. 1802 Pte. M. E. Tavlin, Sanitary Department, No. 2 Platoon, as from April 19, 1932.

No. 1803 Pte. H. A. Kekwick, Official Measurer's Office, A.S.C. Cadre, as from March 1, 1932.

No. 1804 Pte. C. de Saille-Robertson, Rutton Buildings, No. 7, Duddell Street, A.S.C. Cadre, as from March 13, 1932.

No. 1805 Pte. C. M. Hall, c/o "The Caravan," Peninsula Hotel, A.S.C., Cadre, as from March 13, 1932.

No. 1806 Pte. R. T. Nelson, St. Paul's College, A.S.C. Cadre, as from April 5, 1932.

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No. 1813 Gnr. W. F. Alex. Ross Garage, Battery, from April 21, 1932.

No. 1814 Sigm. Hulbert Williamson & Co., Corps Signals, as from April 22, 1932.

Leave.

Lieut. V. C. Branson, M.C., No. 2 Platoon, granted three months' sick leave, from April 1 to June 30, 1932.

No. 221 Sergt. Dmr. W. Brown, Reserve Company, granted leave from April 9, 1932, to April 1, 1933.

W. H. G. GOATER, Capt.,
Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.

NOTICE.

Officers' Mess Meeting.

The Officers' Mess Meeting will be held at Headquarters at 5.45 p.m. on Friday, April 29. All officers will attend.

After Orders.

Armoured Car Company, Motor Cycle Section.—Parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, April 25, for revolver and machine gun instruction.

(Continued on next Column.)

HONG KONG STOCK MARKET.

SATURDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Nothing of any importance occurred at Saturday morning's session, but most of the Utilities were in brisk demand and seem to be daily attracting more of public favour.

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Yaumati Ferries $35½.
China Lights (Old) $21.10.
Hong Kong Electrics $73½.
Macao Electrics $24½.
Telephones (P.P.) $23.90.
Cements (Combined) $18.35.
Lane, Crawfords (Old) $5.90.
Mackintoshes $20½.
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[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BATAVIA, April 23.

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LAST WEEK'S ACTIVITIES.

SUNDAY, April 17.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel attended a luncheon party given in their honour by H.B.M. Consul General at Canton to representatives of the Provincial Government of Kwangtung and prominent residents in Shameen.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel returned to the Colony in H.M.S. "Tarantula."

MONDAY, April 18.

Captain K. H. L. Mackenzie and Surgeon Lieutenant Lawrence-Smith dined at Government House.

TUESDAY, April 19.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel attended the lawn tennis match between Canton and Hong Kong, played under the auspices of the Lawn Tennis Association at the Hong Kong Cricket Club.

WEDNESDAY, April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Shister lunched at Government House.

Mr. J. N. Behrens arrived at Government House.

THURSDAY, April 21.

His Excellency the Governor presided at the meeting of Executive Council.

Captain Baldwin dined at Government House.

Mr. J. N. Behrens left Government House.

FRIDAY, April 22.

Lady Peel attended the Quarry Bay School Spring Festival.

His Excellency the Governor attended the Garrison Sports at Sookunpoo.

Lady Peel attended the bridge party given by Mrs. Ho Leung at her residence at Stanley.

The following dined at Government House:

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jenkins, Colonel and Mrs. Watson, Colonel and Mrs. Myles, Mr. E. W. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Ensor, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Lecky, Wing Comdr. Glenny, Mr. Collisson, Prof. and Mrs. Ride, Prof. Redmond, Prof. and Mrs. Eyrne, Prof. Brown, Prof. Robertson, Rev. E. W. L. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Schultz, Mr. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wodehouse, Dr. and Mrs. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stewart, Mr. Tickle.

SATURDAY, April 23.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel dined with Mr. and Mrs. Cook at the Peninsula Hotel, and subsequently attended the informal dance given by the Society of St. George in Hong Kong.

On behalf of His Excellency The Governor Captain T. A. H. Coltman, A.D.C. laid a wreath on the Cenotaph to commemorate St. George's day.

GRUESOME MURDER AT VIENNA.

WOMAN'S BODY CUT TO 280 SMALL PIECES.

Vienna, Apr. 16.—All the elements of gruesomeness and horror of a Zola novel are revealed in a sordid murder now being investigated by the Vienna police. Yesterday 280 small pieces of a woman's body were found floating in a common sewer.

The police have already arrested a workman who is alleged to have had relations with the dead woman. Recently, however, he had attached himself to her sister who, upon being questioned as to the murder, committed suicide.

The police believe that the motive for the hideous crime was nothing more than that the workman and the sister were desirous of having the murdered woman's flat to themselves.

THE SCHNEIDER TRIO

SUCCESSFUL VISIT TO CANTON

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 24.

The Schneider Trio gave a concert before a large audience in the Canton Y.M.C.A. auditorium last night. A large number of foreigners were present. Judging from the applause at the end of each item, the concert seemed to be very much appreciated.

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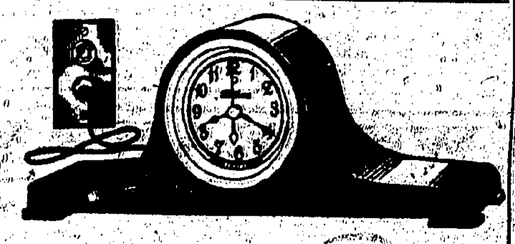

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[By "MORNING DEW."]

There were many points of interest in Saturday's race meeting, and in view of the fact that there will be another meeting at Happy Valley this weekend, Saturday's sport has a special interest as the results might prove to be a valuable guide to the various candidates' chances on the 30th.

Season Ticket set a new record for the mile and a quarter for Australians and in so doing clipped off 5.4 seconds from the previous record. Mr. Reidy, who rode the winner, took no chances with either Woodland Stag or Polar Star, both looking very fit, and set a fast pace from the word "Go." Season Ticket had a clear three lengths in front of Woodland Stag all the way and when he came in the straight, it was obvious that he was still so full of running that any prospect of catching him was out of the picture. Polar Star put in a very good spurt over the last quarter to take second place from Woodland Stag.

Mr. Frost had a remarkable sequence of successes on Saturday, riding three winners and getting placed on five other occasions, out of a total of nine outings!

CYCLAMEN BAY DEAD HEATS WITH SADKO.

Nine starters accepted for the race for "B" Class Australians and although the handicapper had seen to it that But After That carried top weight, the pony was not to be denied and in spite of his weight, came home a winner, being two lengths in front of Canny, to whom he was conceding thirty-five pounds. Lucy Glitters put up a very indifferent show and finished third in front of Joaquim, who will have to watched next Saturday as he ran very well over the last half mile of the race and made up a lot of ground.

The Dead Heat.

Although Cyclamen Bay managed to share honours with Sadko in the second race which was over seven furlongs for "A" Class ponies, I must say that from the manner the race was run, both were extremely lucky to win at all. Mr. G. U. da Roza, who was riding King's Bounty, found his mount rather troublesome at the start with the result that when the gate went he was facing the opposite way and had to concede many lengths. He finished within two lengths of the leader and had he got away with the others to an even start, might conceivably have won. Cyclamen Bay was sent out to take a long lead early on and it was not until the straight was reached that Sadko drew near him. Mr. A. W. da Roza on Sadko was gaining ground with every stride and had drawn level with Cyclamen Bay a hundred yards from home. The latter was all spent and Sadko looked every inch a winner, when his jockey proceeded to apply the whip but Sadko seemed to resent the whip and slowed down perceptibly. However, he was going fast enough to prevent Cyclamen Bay from drawing in front again and, in a thrilling finish, the two ponies dead-heated.

Chiu Quan Leads All the Way.

Subs, griffins and even Macao ponies started in the third race for "D" class ponies but Mr. Benny Proulx had them all tied up in a knot when he took the lead after the first quarter of a mile and stayed in front all the way round to win by two lengths from Cebu, ridden by Mr. G. U. da Roza, and The Gadwall, ridden by Mr. Frost. The time for this mile race for "D" Class ponies was 2 minutes 5 seconds!

The second division of this race was not much slower as The Shoveller won with 2.05.4 which is pretty good going, considering the fact that he was carrying 153 pounds. Blue Heaven was favourite for this race, but I cannot pretend to understand why the public made his chances so bright. He ran pretty well over the first half of the journey, but began to tire at the rock and was well out of the picture at the finish. Helvellyn took second place and Whoopee finished third.

Favourite Unplaced.

Valorous and Tiana were the favourites in that idea in the "B" Class Morrison Hill Handicap, which was over six furlongs. Both were unplaced.

Lunar Star, Racing Boy and The Tiger were leading practically all the way and these ponies made a good race of it in the straight, the verdict ultimately going to Racing Boy who managed to forge ahead to get the verdict by a short head, leaving The Tiger to dead-heat with Lunar Star. Tiana was fourth and the pony would probably have got a place had he been able to come through, but he was kept on the rails and found no opening.

The Big Race.

The main event fell to Princess Hall, ridden by Mr. Soares. The pony looked a picture in the paddock and when he shifted up at the Rock, there was no doubt in my mind that he would finish a winner. Here again a very fast time was recorded and Princess Hall will have to be reckoned with when he faces the starter on Saturday. Don found the early pace too much for him and could not join the leaders until after he had entered the straight for the run home. He put up a great effort and finished within two lengths of the winner. Chateau Bay with only 142 pounds to look after, was third.

Kate Wins.

Mr. Ip Kui Ying won with Kate in a field of fifteen in the Kellett Handicap "C" Class. The pony appeared in fine fettle and Mr. Ip was content to stay in the middle of the runners until the half mile post was reached when he gradually shifted up, coming in with the leaders at the head of the straight. He finished a neck in front of Indiana, ridden by Mr. Fung, and Mr. Frost on Philanderer was third. After the race, a protest was entered against the winner, and a notice was subsequently put up to say that the winner was disqualified, the grounds not being stated in the notice. The time for this race was 2.03.2.

In the second division, the event fell to Helter Skelter which figured in a thrilling finish, getting the verdict by a short head. Helter Skelter's time was 2 minutes 3.1 seconds and it looks very much as if he will be a big danger on Saturday wherever he starts, as he has previously covered the six furlongs in 1.20.4. Wembley Stag was second to Helter Skelter and Alexandra Hall was third.

Season Ticket Wins.

Polar Star looked very fit in the paddock and that fact probably explained why he was so much in demand in spite of the fact that during the extra season he had always finished behind Woodland Stag and Season Ticket. However, Mr. Reidy on Season Ticket had his plans cut and dried, for when the gate went up Season Ticket showed in front and established a useful lead. Mr. Frost tried to get up to the leader, but Woodland Stag could not respond, and after trying all the way round, the pony had to take defeat in the straight. Polar Star could not get going at first, but when asked for an effort in the straight, he came along with a rush and displaced Woodland Stag.

Amoy Plays Well.

Amoy won the flat race for novices and non-winning suits. Mr. Benham rode him well but the surprising thing was the dividend paid on the pony. There was a rumour that the pony was lame and that was probably why the public did not back it. Getting off fairly well, Mr. Benham was satisfied to allow the others to fight for the lead while he chose for himself a position on the rails. This proved a very wise move as at the first bend, the field swung badly and Amoy, hugging the rails, found himself in the van. He ran in front all the way, accompanied by Hirwego, who was shaken off in the straight. Valley Hall took third place.

RESULTS.

Race 1.

Mr. Seth's But After That (Mr. Frost) 1
Mr. Hau Un's Canny (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 2
Mr. L. A. H. Wright's Lucy Glitters (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3
Won by two lengths; four lengths between second and third.
Time: 2 mins. 26.4 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $10.30.
Places: $5.80; $7.20; $6.40.

Betting.	Winner.	Place.
Anniversary Eve (Carroll)	27	51
But After That (Frost)	759	900
Canny (Ip)	228	341
Choy Pak (Proulx)	73	120
Gold Digger (Harriman)	146	223
Joaquim (A. Roza)	70	114
Lucy Glitters (A. Roza)	328	538
Mermaid (Pan)	65	119
Tin Tac (Liang)	77	135

Race 2.

Mr. L. Dunbar's Cyclamen Bay (Mr. Frost) *1
Mr. A. M. L. Soares' Sadko (Mr. A. W. da Roza) *1
Mr. Dynasty's King's Bounty (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3
Dead heat for first place; two lengths between first and third.
Time: 1 min. 43.3 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $7.30 and $7.80.
Places: $3.90 and $3.30.

Betting.	Winner.	Place.
Gold Key (Pan)	183	161
King's Bounty (G. Roza)	682	436
Sadko (A. Roza)	585	279
Cyclamen Bay (Frost)	725	650
Fortune Bay (Butler)	71	81

Race 3.

Messrs. Swatow and Pakhoi's Chiu Quan ... (Mr. Proulx) 1
Mr. Samson's Cebu (Mr. G. Roza) 2
Messrs. Hall and Shenton's The Gadwall ..... (Mr. Frost) 3
Won by two lengths; three quarter length between second and third.
Time: 2 mins. 5 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $78.60.
Places: $20.90; $66.30; $10.80.

Betting.	Winner.	Place.
Banjolina (Lobel)	15	33
Buchanan (Ip)	157	260
Cabinet Hall (A. Botelho)	104	183
Cebu (G. Roza)	50	66
Chiu Quan (Proulx)	125	254
Christmas Joy (Harriman)	338	471
Cy-Pres (Liang)	91	165
Echo (Miles)	26	59
Fritillery (Fischer)	22	66
Gallant Fox (Fung)	22	45
Gold Bar (Pan)	387	786
Mistletoe (A. Roza)	35	82
New King (Benham)	8	14
Scrappit (Black)	8	12
Sonny Boy (Butler)	18	46
The Gadwall (Frost)	424	698
Valeta (H. Botelho)	3	11
Siwash (F. Soares)	400	666

Race 4.

Messrs. Hall and Shenton's The Shoveller ..... (Mr. Frost) 1
Messrs. Bellamy's and Gordon's Helvellyn .... (Mr. Botelho) 2
Mr. Jacque's Whoopee (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 3
Won by half a length; three leigths between second and third.
Time: 2 mins. 05.4 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $20.60.
Places: $11.20, $12.50; $10.90.

Betting	Winner.	Place
Blue Heaven (Butler)	568	1,000
Bluelove (Fung)	90	145
Celerity (Carroll)	10	21
Choctow II. (Fischer)	29	100
Christmas Bells (Harriman)	172	273
Fighting Blood (Lee)	38	28
Helvellyn (Botelho)	197	452
Mona Talisman (Black)	79	140
Pure Music (G. Roza)	84	140
Tango (Ahern)	11	33
The Shoveller (Frost)	373	500
Toby (Liang)	271	307
Whoopee (Ip)	203	536

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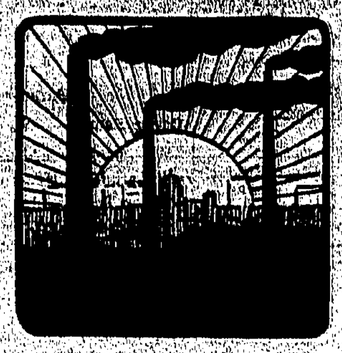

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WASTE WATER.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

In the lavatories attached to my office there are three water taps, one or more are usually out of order.

As a matter of curiosity I tested one which was leaking but by no means wholly out of order. I found it wasted one pint in 18 seconds.

If my arithmetic is correct this works out at 219,000 gallons a year.

I am sufficiently cynical to believe that "Government" does not care one two-penny damn, nor any one else except probably the Water Engineers and no body seems to listen to them.

WHY WORRY.

Hong Kong, April 23.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

INFORMAL DANCE AT PENINSULA HOTEL.

WREATH LAID ON CENOTAPH.

St. George's Day was fittingly celebrated in Hong Kong on Saturday. In the morning a wreath was laid at the Cenotaph by Mr. C. Bulmer Johnson, vice-President of the Society and Mr. E. Cock, last year's President. The Society's wreath, circular in shape, consisted of a cross of red flowers on a white background. An all white wreath was laid by Capt. T.A.H. Coltman, on behalf of His Excellency the Governor.

The social side of the celebration took the form of an informal "At Home" at the Peninsula Hotel where there was an attendance of 400 members and guests of the Society. No interior decoration of any kind was attempted, excepting ing a picture of St. George in the Rose Room. Dancing was continued from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. and supper was served from a running buffet in the Dining Room

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel were present as the guests of Mr. E. Cock. Others present included His Honour Sir Joseph Kemp, Hon. Mr. W. T. Southorn, C.M.G., Hon. Mr. C. C. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E., Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Hon. Mr. T. H. King and Mrs. King, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cock, Col. and Mrs. L. G. Bird, Hon. Mr. H. T. and Mrs. Creasy, and Mr. C. Bulmer Johnson, vice-President of the Society. Many prominent military officers were also present.

The committee responsible for arrangements were Mr. C. Bulmer Johnson, vice-President of the Society, Messrs. J. Bentley, W. A. Cornell, V. C. Labrum, and J. D. Danby.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE.

WEEKLY VACCINATION RETURN.

The number vaccinated, free of charge, by members of the Brigade, up to and including Thursday, April 21, was as under:—

Chinese Y.M.C.A. (Hong Kong)	14,895
King's College (Old)	1,946
King's College (Present)	14,091
Railway	4,926
Indian	2,652
Kowloon	5,952
Mongkok	41,276
Shaukiwan	3,975
Chinese Y.M.C.A. (Present)	21,103
Chinese Athletic Association	24,046
Y.W.C.A. Nursing	2,500
Un Long	419
Total	137,773

CHINESE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

NOTABLE EVENT IN MEDICAL ANNALS OF CHINA.

SHANGHAI, April 24.

A notable event in the medical annals of this country took place quietly last week in the amalgamation of the China Medical Association and the National Medical Association of China, the two leading medical bodies in China. Negotiations to this end have been carried on for some little time and it had been hoped that the union would be consummated at the joint medical conference that was to have been held this month in Shanghai. Owing to the trouble the conference had to be delayed and, as in the unsettled state of things it was uncertain when this could be held, the question of immediate union was referred by referendum to the members of the two associations and received their practically unanimous support.

China Medical Association.

The China Medical Association was founded forty-five years ago under the name of the China Medical Missionary Association, broadening its basis of union later to enable it to take in all physicians of high standard. From its inception until the close of last year it published a Journal—The China Medical Journal—which had a wide circulation both among doctors in this country and medical colleges and libraries abroad.

National Medical Association.

The National Medical Association of China was founded eighteen years ago by Chinese members of the older association to secure a national association for the medical needs of the country. It has prospered greatly and drawn to itself the best elements of scientific medicine in China. At no time has there been any rivalry between the two associations thanks largely to the fine group of officers that both bodies could boast, and the obvious fact that each of them filled an important need which could not otherwise be met. At the same time the existance of two such bodies was an evident enomaly and the continuation of this state of things once the National Association was large enough to admit foreign members in some number was fully recognised to be undesirable.

Beginning of Union.

A beginning of union was made at the end of last year when the Journal of the China Medical Association was amalgamated with the English section of the Journal of the National Association to make one single medical journal in the English language under the title of the Chinese Medical Journal. The final step was taken last week when the two Associations united under the name of The Chinese Medical Association, the use of this name bringing the Association into line with similar bodies in other lands.

One great advantage that will result from this union is that as a single body the Association will be able to speak with authority on medical questions and health legislation in China. The National Association last year purchased a building for a medical centre in Shanghai and this becomes the property of the united body. To this united body the China Medical Association contributes its Council on Publication which has in the past and continues to publish nearly all the important works on medicine translated into the Chinese language. The Medical Missionary interests of many of the members will continue to be represented by a Council on Medical Missions with headquarters at the Medical building just referred to, while Councils on Medical Education, Hospitals, Medical Research, and the protection of Medical Practitioners will be organised.

Executive Officers.

The Executive Officers of the new Association are:

President Dr. Way Sung Now; vice-Presidents Dr. H. H. Morris and Dr. Arthur W. Woo (Hong Kong); General Secretary Dr. H. P. Chu; Treasurer Dr. K. Z. Faung;

Editors Dr. C. E. Lim (Peiping) and Dr. James L. Maxwell.

It is hoped that it will eventually be possible to unite with the new Association all other groups interested in scientific medicine in this country. The Association welcomes applications for membership from all registered doctors and from the graduates practicing here of recognised medical schools at home and abroad.

First Meeting.

The first meeting of the Chinese Medical Association will probably be held at Shanghai about the end of September.

MENINGITIS OUTBREAK.

DR. BASTO'S QUESTIONS TO SANITARY BOARD.

At to-morrow's fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board, Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, pursuant to notice, will ask:—

"Will the Head of the Sanitary Department kindly obtain the necessary particulars in reply to the following questions for the information of this Board viz:

i. As the causative organism of cerebro-spinal meningitis has been found to belong to several groups or types, has there been any attempt at typing the organisms isolated from the cases occurring in the present epidemic?

ii. If this has not been done, will the Government consider doing so immediately?

iii. If on the other hand, this has already been done, which is the particular type of meningococcus responsible for the greater number of cases occurring in this present outbreak?

iv. Is the corresponding anti-type serum (as distinct from the usual polyvalent serum) being prepared, and if not, will the Government consider its preparation with regard to the present epidemic, seeing that according to the latest researches it has been found that the mortality rate is greatly diminished when the "type" of organism is known and the corresponding anti serum employed?"

SANITARY BOARD ELECTION

THOSE ENTITLED TO VOTE.

The election of a member of the Sanitary Board will take place at the office of the Registrar, Supreme Court, on Tuesday, May 10, between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

The following two candidates have been nominated, *viz.*:—

Dr. Li Shu Fan, M.B., Ch.B., D.T.M. and H., F.R.C.S. (Edin.).

Mr. Frederick Charles Mow Fung, J.P.

According to the *Government Gazette*, the following have the right to vote at the election:

Those on the two jurors lists for the current jury year.

Any of the following who have duly applied to be registered by the Registrar of the Supreme Court:

(a) Unofficial members of the Executive or Legislative Council;

(b) persons of sound mind who have previously been included in the jurors lists but have been omitted therefrom on account of age or infirmity;

(c) barristers and solicitors in actual practice and the clerks of solicitors in actual practice;

(d) persons registered under Section 4 of the Medical Registration Ordinance, 1884, or under the Dentistry Ordinance, 1914, or under the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, 1916;

(e) editors, sub-editors and reporters of daily newspapers published in the Colony;

(f) clergymen of the Church of England, Roman Catholic priests, and ministers of any congregation of Protestant Dissenters or Jews, acting as such in the Colony;

(g) professors and other academic officers of the University of Hong Kong;

(h) masters of schools which are certified by the Director of Education as not being vernacular schools;

(i) masters of steamers and local pilots; and

(j) officers and non-commissioned officers of the Hong Kong Volunteer Corps, and such other members of the Hong Kong Defence Corps as shall have been exempted from jury service by the Governor in Council;

No person who is in the service of the Crown, and whose whole time is at the disposal of the Crown, shall be entitled to be included in the said register.

HEALTH IN EASTERN PORTS.

The following health bulletin of Eastern ports, for the week ended April 16, has been issued:—

	Cases.	Deaths.
Plague.		
Colombo	1	1
Small-pox.		
Suez	1	—
Pondicherry	10	8
Saigon	36	32
Canton	16	—
Shanghai	24	10
Kobe	1	—
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.		
Macao	14	26

NEW CATHOLIC CHURCH.

BISHOP VALTORTA BLESSES CORNER STONE.

WORTHY HOMAGE TO ST. THERESA.

The Roman Catholic Bishop, Mgr. H. Valtorta, D.D., performed the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new St. Theresa's Church, at Kowloon Tong on Saturday. The Catholic community was very well represented at the function, among those present being the nuns of the Italian Convent and the Clergy of all the Orders serving in Hong Kong.

After the Bishop had blessed the corner stone and sprinkled holy water on it, he proceeded to a position just inside the main entrance of the sacred edifice where he led the Litany of the Saints.

Afterwards the Bishop returned to the corner stone and laid it at the foot of the tower, to the right of the main entrance as one faces it.

The Inscription.

The stone, which was a slab of white marble, was inscribed in black as under:—

"To the Glory of God and in the Honour of St. Theresa of the Child Jesus, this Foundation Stone has been laid by His Lordship H. Valtorta, Vicar Apostolic of Hong Kong.

Kowloon, 23rd April 1932."

His Lordship was later presented by the contractors with a silver trowel and a wooden mallet with silver ends. The trowel was inscribed as follows:—

"St. Theresa's Church, April 23, 1932. Presented by Mee On and Co."

Following the laying of the corner stone, the procession proceeded to walk round the interior of the structure where halts were made at various points for the Bishop to bless the foundation of the building.

Bishop's Address.

His Lordship then addressed the gathering at some length. He said that he could not adequately express his joy at being able to lay the corner stone of such a fine and big Church. He rejoiced because that building was going to meet a great and pressing need in Kowloon.

Everyone who attended at the Rosary Church on Sundays or feast days would readily agree with him that the new Church which would afford sitting accommodation for 1,700 would go a long way to meet the need of the ever growing Catholic population of Kowloon.

A Worthy Homage.

That Church, his Lordship said, was a worthy homage to St. Theresa of the Child Jesus, the Little Flower.

Personally, he said, he was greatly indebted to St. Theresa. When he was made Bishop, he was sent a relic of the Saint and ever since then St. Theresa had become the Patroness of this Mission.

At Hoifung, during the Communist troubles, many villages were sacked, over 200 persons killed, and Churches and Convents pillaged and burned. His Lordship was in one Catholic village which numbered about 500 strong. When the Communists came, it was a question of deciding either to go or to resist. The latter course was a hopeless one, so they evacuated.

Before leaving, the Bishop put a picture of St. Theresa in the foundation of the Church, and right through the Communist reign of terror in Hoifung, that Church and that village remained unharmed and not a single villager was killed.

More Help Wanted.

He acknowledged donations made towards the expenses of building that Church, and he would ask St. Theresa to bless the donors a thousandfold, even in this life. But although he was indebted to the donors, he must remind the gathering that the work of propagating the faith was as much a part of the duty of every Catholic as the duty of the Clergy. Therefore he was expecting much more from them.

No Hong Kong Portuguese Priest.

The Bishop also said that during his 25 years' work on this Mission not a single Hong Kong born Portuguese boy had become a priest, although they had the advantage of being used to the climate. He wanted to see a Hong Kong born Portuguese boy become a priest.

The Building.

The new Church, which is being built in the centre of an area of about 30,000 square feet, is bounded by Prince Edward Road, Waterloo Road and Boundary Street. The edifice is of distinctive design, the architect being the Rev. Fr. Gresnit of the Benedictine Order, who is on the staff of the Catholic University at Peiping. The feature of the Church will be the Roman Altar which will be erected in the centre, and there will be four small chapels at the sides, with pews all round the main altar. There is also a spacious choir space.

TO-DAY IS ANZAC DAY.

EPIC OF GALLIPOLI LANDING RECALLED.

WREATH TO BE LAID ON CENOTAPH.

The war was productive of countless epics, the stories of which will never be forgotten. Each country that participated, every man that fought, friends or enemies, remembers with a thrill of pride deeds which for bravery and unstinting sacrifice stood out from a war in which all were brave and many were heroes.

Of such epics Australia and New Zealand treasure one above all others: the glorious landing of the Australian and New Zealand Expeditionary Force at Suvla Bay, Gallipoli, seventeen years ago to-day.

There may have been strategical mistakes made by those in command, and there is no doubt that the landing was attended with the worst of bad luck, while history records that Kitchener ordered the abandonment of the campaign and the evacuation of the Gallipoli Peninsula in the following December, but even the most virulent denouncer of the Gallipoli Campaign has never failed to pay stirring tribute to the great gallantry, self sacrifice and supreme devotion to duty of every officer and man of the Army and the Navy who took part in it.

First Contingent.

The first contingent of the Anzacs were on their way to France from Australia and New Zealand when the declaration of war on the Allies by Turkey seriously jeopardised Egypt, and the transports conveying the Anzacs to France were directed to land the men in Egypt.

The Anzacs remained in Egypt for some months of intensive training and then sailed for Gallipoli.

The story of the landing at Anzac Cove on April 25, 1915, on a bright Sunday morning, when the men were ferried across from the transports to the beach on pontoons towed by pinnaces and launches, all the time subjected to a terrible fire from shore batteries, machine guns and rifles, will live for ever.

Many pontoons were sunk before they reached the shore, with the loss of some of their men by drowning, while other pontoons were blown to pieces by shells. As the remaining pontoons neared the beach men jumped into the sea with the water up to their armpits and were shot down immediately, while the wounded struggled in the water and were drowned.

The Landing.

The sea near the beach was red with blood, yet despite frightful losses a landing was effected and the Anzacs took up their positions, later to drive the enemy back slightly, though the satisfaction of reaching their main objective was to be denied them.

From then until the evacuation in the following December by the orders of Lord Kitchener, they kept up their end in gallant fashion, nor did the glory gained at the immortal landing at Anzac Cove ever leave them. The Gallipoli Campain was not a success, but it was through no fault of the cream of Australian and New Zealand's manhood, and "Their Name Liveth for Evermore."

Celebrations To-day.

To-day Australians and New Zealanders in the Colony celebrate Anzac Day, and at 10.45 a.m. their representatives will lay a wreath on the Cenotaph. The Anzac wreath will be laid by Mr. C. de S. Robertson, M.M. ex A.I.F., and Lt.-Col. A. R. Godwin Austin, O.B.E., will lay a wreath from the South Wales Borderers. Lieut. H. Westlake will represent the Hong Kong Volunteer forces.

A dinner will be held at the Hong Kong Hotel at 6.30 p.m. and over 60 Australians and New Zealanders have expressed their intention of being present.

LI.D. CERTIFICATES.

The official quotation of the Societe Internationale de Placements, Basle (local agents, Messrs. A. Goeke & Co) on April 21 in Basle: £8.10.6d.

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A. R. WELLINGTON,
Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.

25th April, 1932. [2118

THE HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Society will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Hong Kong, on THURSDAY, the 5TH MAY, 1932, at 5.15 p.m.

By Order of the Committee,
F. C. MAUNDER,
Hon. Secretary.

Hong Kong, 25th April, 1932.

It is requested that nominations for the Committee and various Offices, duly proposed and seconded be forwarded to the Secretary before the Meeting. [2119

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 30TH APRIL, 1932, commencing at 1.45 p.m.

The First Bell will be Rung at 1.15 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at $5.00 for Gentlemen and $3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon Introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for Payment of All Chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tiffins are obtainable at the Club House, provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is $2.00, including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB during the Race Meeting.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Acting Secretary.

Hong Kong, 25th April, 1932. [2117

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Fifth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 30th April, 1932 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock Noon on MONDAY, 25th April, 1932.

By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Acting Secretary.
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WEATHER REPORT.

Yesterday's weather report, forecast and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 8 p.m., stated:—

The depression is situated in the Sea of Japan to the north-west of Tokyo. A weak anti-cyclone has developed to the north of the lower Yangtsze Valley.

Local Forecast:—Light south-erly winds, freshening from N.E.; fair at first; cloudy with rain later.

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THEATRES HOLD THEIR OWN.

IN contrast to the prevailing depression in many other fields, the British theatre has been for some time in a prosperous condition. Possibly more people than hitherto are now spending what spare cash they can afford on this form of pleasure, because they can get more satisfaction from the theatre than they can get from other sources of entertainment or amusement for a similar sum. But even so there must be some reason why they have been persuaded to consider the theatre in this light. Probably the cause is to be found in the immense amount of work that has been done by thousands of small dramatic societies which are now scattered about England.

In every town and in many large sized villages there are now organizations for the study of the drama and for the presentation by amateurs of theatrical pieces. Many of these local amateur players have shown remarkable talent. At the same time their audiences have steadily improved their taste in drama, and this in its turn has led to higher demands being made of the players. To deal with the work of these amateur societies in any detail would, of course, be impossible; but there is one company which stands out before all the rest and is, therefore, deserving of mention. It is the most original and brilliant amateur company in the country.

The scene of this company's activities is the Maddermarket Theatre at Norwich. The theatre itself is a remarkable place. There is probably nothing like it anywhere else in the world. In essentials and details it is a reconstruction of a theatre of the period of Queen ELIZABETH, 300 years ago, when Shakespeare and other great Elizabethan dramatists were making the age in which they lived famous in the history of the English language. The Maddermarket Theatre was started in 1911 by a few enthusiasts, and since then it has established itself as the home of amateur acting. Every type of play, of every age, is staged there, and always with great success.

The Festival Theatre at Cambridge has achieved distinction among amateurs as one of the most advanced experimental theatres in the country; and the Oxford University Dramatic Society which is more closely bound up with its University than is the Festival at Cambridge—is in the front rank of amateurs. There are many other amateur societies which are doing excellent work, and their efforts have been more productive of good since the formation of the British Drama League, the headquarters of which are in the Adelphi, London, an organization for the furthering of amateur dramatic art.

This development of local interest and local talent has acted as a stimulus upon the country's theatres in general, and upon the London stage in particular. In the West End of London there are fifty-five theatres, and in the suburbs, within twenty minutes ride of Charing Cross there are several more which maintain a standard as high as those of the West End. "Theatreland" in London occupies a conventionally small space, and by securing sites in Soho, one of the well-known "foreign quarters," the builders of four new theatres, all of which are now housing successful shows, have managed to keep the theatre area almost as small and compact as ever. The past year has been one of great successes in the English theatre, and one of its most notable features has been the production of an extraordinary number of costume plays, pageantry and large spectacular shows.

One play which ran throughout 1931, and which must have been seen by almost every theatre lover in London (and probably also in New York!) is "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." Actually, the longest run for the year was achieved by "Autumn Crocus," a first play by a young woman, Miss DODIE SMITH. Some of the most successful productions have been at Sir NIGEL PLAYFAIR'S theatre, the Lyric at Hammersmith, quite outside the West End theatreland, and a number of interesting plays have been staged at experimental theatres, such as the Gate Theatre, a tiny place under Charing Cross station. Here the producer, PETER GODFREY, presents plays which are of a striking character, but which are not regarded as commercially practicable by the ordinary theatre manager.

There are two other items which must be referred to. The first is the opening of the new Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, which took place at Stratford-on-Avon on Saturday, St. George's Day, and the Anniversary of Shakespeare's birthday, when visitors from all parts of the world came to do homage to the great dramatist. The second is the Annual Dramatic Festival at Malvern in Worcestershire. This year the Malvern season will be held from the 1st to the 20th of August. The programme will once again range through five centuries of English drama, closing with a new play by Mr. GEORGE BERNARD SHAW, entitled "Too True to be Good." A company of players will be assembled under the direction of Sir BARRY JACKSON, who has done a wonderful amount of good work for the British drama; and an added attraction at the festival will be the presence of Mr. GEORGE BERNARD SHAW himself, and other personages prominent in the theatrical world.

★ News and Views ★

Tale of the Day.

"Can you lend me a paltry pound until pay day?"

"Well, what do you mean by pay day?"

"The day I pay you."

Mr. Brisbane's Writing Course.

Mr. Arthur Brisbane, editor and chief columnist of the Hearst chain of newspapers, has just disclosed to his large public the secret of success in writing.

Here is his recipe: "Make your writing striking and musical. Strike out 'very' always. Strike out most of your adjectives, remembering the wise Frenchman's remark, 'The adjective is the enemy of the noun.' If you write anything of which you are particularly proud, cut that out; or, at least, cut it in two."

Finally, he recommends the following course: "The Fables of La Fontaine"—for clear expression of simple thought; Sterne's "A Sentimental Journey"—for English prose; and Dante's "Inferno" and his "Paradiso"—for magnificent writing.

Playing to the Public.

With the exception of the recommendation to read Dante, there is little new in this advice.

It is good enough as far as it goes, but many will be puzzled by this Dante business. Mr. Brisbane's success as a journalist is largely due to his astonishing general knowledge.

It is easy to imagine that on this occasion Mr. Brisbane was being pontifical at the expense of the education-thirsty American public. His own writing is certainly not modelled on Dante. If it were, he would not be the highest-paid journalist in the world.

Run Over by Six Horses.

Mr. H. J. Barrett, of Fambridge, Essex, an official at the Essex Farmers' Hunt point-to-point races at Stow Maries, near Maldon, was run over by six horses, but escaped serious injury.

He was hurrying across the course towards the officials' stand, and had nearly reached the rails, when the leading horse of the field rounded a bend just in front of him and knocked him down.

This horse and the five following ran over him and rolled him over a number of times.

When a doctor and St. John Ambulance men rushed to his assistance he was found to be suffering from shock and bruises, but was otherwise uninjured.

Where Children Get Their Accent.

"This country possesses the finest children in the world," stated Mr. W. E. Gray, in his presidential address to the National Union of Schoolmasters at Sunderland.

He said the middle-class opposition to the cost of education sprang partly from a selfish neglect to understand the true nature of the social and educational service rendered by the elementary schools, and partly from the ever-present fear that the children of the working classes would invade their jealously guarded preserves of educational and social advantage.

He suggested that the middle-class parent should claim for his child in the earlier years its place in the public elementary schools.

"The gain all round will justify the experiment. It will be found that children of varying social circumstance do not harm one another either in morals or in accent. Accent is derived mainly from home environment, and morality is, in general, at higher level in the school than in the adult world beyond."

Reform would never proceed along the lines of class segregation, which was against the whole trend of modern life.

Such a Wicked Thing to Do!

An East Ham shopkeeper was summoned for selling a quarter of a pound of sugar and two pennyworth of cheese at 8.20 p.m., when her shop should have been closed at 7 p.m.

Mr. Wyatt Paine (the Magistrate).—The Legislature in its wisdom has made it a very serious offence to sell a quarter of a pound of sugar after a specified time. I am sure you are sorry for having done such a wicked thing! I have to administer the law. Whether it is a wise law or not it is not for me to say. You must pay 5s.

The "Man Who Could Make the House Laugh."

Lord Newton, who was 75 last month, is one of the best informed men in the House of Lords.

When he sat in the House of Commons as the member for the Newton division of Lancashire he was regarded as the "man who could make the House laugh."

He has original views on men and women. He does not look anything like his age, and has protested against the hero-worship which is so often given to young people.

He once said: "I resent the suggestion I see occasionally that men are too old at 40.

"I object to the idea that the only people whose opinions are worth having are those of the 'Bright young people.'"

He told the House of Lords that "the notion that wisdom resides only in the young is a delusion."

World's Fastest Night-fighter.

Claimed to be the fastest night-fighting aircraft in the world, a new high-altitude biplane, capable of flying at a speed of more than 200 miles an hour at a height of three miles above ground, has successfully passed flying trials.

The new night-fighter, which is constructed entirely of strip steel, is armed with two automatically firing machine-guns and also carries a load of bombs slung below the bottom wing.

Electrically heated clothing and oxygen-breathing apparatus are provided for use by the pilots in the cold and rarefied air at high altitudes; a complete electrical installation for both lighting and heating is installed.

A supercharged Armstrong-Siddeley Jaguar engine developing over 500 h.p. enables the airplane to climb almost vertically to a height of four miles in less than 15 minutes, while it is actually capable of climbing to over six miles above earth level.

Wireless "Uncle" Romance.

The birth of a daughter, Judith "Barry," to Mrs. Derek McCulloch, wife of Mr. Derek McCulloch, "Uncle Mac" of the Children's Hour at the B.B.C., is announced.

Mrs. McCulloch, before her marriage, also worked at Savoy Hill, where she was popularly known as "Barry." She first met her husband some years ago when he was an announcer and she was in another department.

"Uncle Mac" has had 21 operations for wounds since the war.

At the age of 17 he was shot through the right eye, had four shrapnel wounds in his left shoulder, a wound in the leg, and two ribs, his collar-bone and a shoulder rib broken. He astonished surgeons by making so speedy a recovery that a few months later he was again with the troops—as an officer.

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★ Local Notes and Events ★

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. M. J. Breen to be Postmaster General.

At to-morrows meeting of the Rotary Club, Rotarian J. L. McPherson will speak on "The World-wide 'Y.'"

It is notified that the names of Liang Kwong Motor Bus Co., Ltd., and the Kwong Hing Co., Ltd., have been struck off the Register.

Mr. N. S. Beale, Managing Director of the General Electric Co. of China, Ltd., arrived here on a business trip by the s.s. President Taft.

Mr. N. T. de Oliveira, the Brazilian Vice-Consul, at Shanghai has arrived in Hong Kong to assume the temporary post of vice-Consul of Brazil in Hong Kong.

His Majesty the King has approved the appointment of the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, K.C., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council for a further period of four years.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. S. H. Ross to act as a Member of the Court of the University of Hong Kong, during the absence on leave of Mr. J. Hennessey Seth.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed the Hon. Mr. Ts'o Seen-wan, O.B.E., L.L.D., and the Rev. Frank Short as Members of the Board of Education for a further period of two years.

The forthcoming marriage is announced of John Charles Stoppa, Sub-Officer, Fire Brigade, living at 161, Wongneichong Road, and Chan Wang-ching, of 10, St. Francis Yard, ground floor.

Among the many organisations celebrating and commemorating St. George's Day was the Hong Kong Boy Scouts Association. Representatives of the different troops in the Hong Kong area foregathered at the training camp at Saiwan on Saturday afternoon and, collectively, repeated the famous Scout promise, compiled by Lord Baden-Powell, the Chief Scout and organiser of the Scout movement throughout the world.

The retirement is announced of Rear-Admiral Mark L. Bristol of the U.S. Navy, who was recently in command of the American Asiatic Fleet, and at one time was High Commissioner to Turkey.

It is notified that at the expiration of three months, the Hong Kong North-East Ferry Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register and the company will be dissolved.

St. John's Hall, Hong Kong University, has handed over $1600.00 to the Tung Wah Hospital for the Shanghai Relief Fund. This sum was the entire proceeds of two concerts held in St. Paul's Girls' College, organised by members of St. John's Hall.

While playing with other children at Po Hing Fong, near Blake Gardens, Lai Yung-hung, aged 12, living with his parents at 171, Queen's Road West, accidentally fell from the top of a retaining wall. He dropped on his head, and was conveyed to hospital suffering from concussion.

Among passengers who left the Colony Saturday by the R.M.S. Empress of Russia were Mr. J. Hennessy Seth, principal of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming, accountants, and Mrs. Seth, and Mrs. H. C. Treherne, wife of Comdr. Treherne of H.M.S. Medway.

Sentence of six months' hard labour with fifteen strokes of the birch was passed by Mr. Schofield on a Chinese who was charged at Central Magistracy on Saturday with bag-snatching. It was stated that the complainant in the case, a Chinese woman, was waiting for a tram in Shukiwan on the evening of March 19, when the defendant approached her and snatched her handbag. The defendant made good his escape but on Friday morning a Chinese detective saw him entering a pawnshop with the bag and arrested him.

The death occurred in London on April 12, following an operation, of Mr. Herbert Campbell Gulland, manager of the International Banking Corporation from 1900 until his retirement from China in 1922. Mr. Gulland, who was about 70 years old, came to Shanghai in 1897 as an accountant for the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China. He rendered valuable services to the community as a member of the Shanghai Municipal Council from 1911 to 1915. Deceased was a keen sportsman, and is survived by a widow, two sons and a daughter.

From the Files.

Looking Back 25 Years.

"Following the example of China" was one of the first phrases to catch our eye when glancing through a brochure explaining the objects of the "Sinn Fein" movement in Ireland, which movement, as our London correspondent recently telegraphed, is spreading abnormally. The words Sinn Fein mean "ourselves alone," and are the watchwords of a party dissatisfied with the "moderation" of the Irish Party in Parliament, as well as the title of a newspaper which defines and advocates their objects. In its issue of May 5 last year the Sinn Fein thus defined its aims: "We seek to hit England (a) through anti-enlistment and the consequent crippling of her army; (b) curtailment of the drink traffic and the consequent diminution of her revenue; (c) through boycott of her industries, following the example of China and India."—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, 25, 1907.

Looking Back 50 Years.

By the new tea clipper Stirling Castle arrived, on Thursday, another large consignment of machinery and iron building materials for Messrs. Butterfield & Swire's new sugar refinery at Quarry Bay. This is the third shipment which that enterprising force are erecting. The second lot sent out has not yet arrived, being still detained at Singapore in consequence of the accident to the steamer Benalder.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, April 25, 1882.

EXCHANGE RATES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

	Rugby, April 22.
Paris	95 1/16
New York	3.74⅜
Montreal	4.17
Brussels	26.70
Geneva	19.30
Amsterdam	9.24½
Milan	72¾
Berlin	15.75
Stockholm	20½
Copenhagen	18½
Oslo	20.30
Prague	126½
Madrid	47 15/16
Helsingfors	216
Lisbon	110
Athens	300
Bucharest	630
Buenos Aires	36⅛
Montevideo	29 nom.
Bombay	1/5 15/16
Shanghai	1/7 3/16
Hong Kong	1/3¼
Yokohama	1/9
Silver (spot)	16⅛
Silver (forward)	16 15/16

Somme Memorial.

The Somme Memorial at Thiepval, which the Prince of Wales will unveil on Whit Monday (May 16), is the last material work of construction undertaken by the War Graves Commission.

An agreement has been reached, says the annual report of the Commission, to establish a small cemetery in the shadow of the Somme Memorial, containing the graves of an equal number of French and British soldiers, to symbolise the common sacrifice.

SCOTT MAKES GOOD PROGRESS

TWO NEW RECORDS SET UP

(Reuter's Special Service.)

KARACHI, April 24.

Despite being held up by dust storms and head winds between Bagdad and Basra the airman, Mr. Scott, is making good time, landing here on Saturday morning and is level with Butler's record.

Scott has now established two new records, first, a thirteen hour hop from Lympne to Brindisi, and less than four days from England to Karachi.

After a short rest he hopped off again on the trans-India flight.

AHEAD OF RECORD TIME

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

CALCUTTA, April 24.

The airman, Mr. Scott, took off for Rangoon at 10 a.m. On the sixth day of his flight he was a few hours ahead of the time put up by C. A. Butler, the holder of the England-Australia solo flight record.

RANGOON, April 24.

Scott arrived at 6 p.m. and proposes to take off at daybreak.

SHAKESPEARE MEMORIAL

PRINCE OF WALES OPENS NEW THEATRE

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, April 23.

England's patron Saint and the Memory of Shakespeare are being celebrated to-day throughout the country. Shakespeare's birth-place, Stratford on Avon, is the centre of the chief celebrations, and the picturesque town was gaily decorated for the reception of the representatives of over 70 nations who had come to do homage to Shakespeare memory.

The Prince of Wales flew from Windsor to take part in the ceremonies, which included the opening by His Royal Highness of the new Shakespeare Memorial Theatre and which has been erected on the banks of the Avon River.

A luncheon which was presided over by the Mayor of Stratford and attended by representatives of all leading nations of the world preceded the ceremony at the Theatre and to-night the first performance in the Theatre will be given when the first part of Henry the Fourth is being staged in the presence of the Prince of Wales.

THE COLONIAL EMPIRE

POSITION SURVEYED IN COMMONS

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, April 22.

The position of the Colonial Empire, which is suffering heavily owing to the world depression, was reviewed in the House of Commons to-day by the Colonial Secretary, Sir Phillip Cunliffe-Lister.

Several Colonies, he said, had only been able to carry on with the assistance of grants-in-aid or loans from the British Treasury, and a number of othtr Colonies would have been in the same position but for the fact that, in more prosperous times, they had accumulated reserves on which they were able to draw.

The Colonial Office was continuing the practice of helping administrations by means of financial missions to frame their budgets and to effect economies.

The Colonial Empire was almost entirely dependent upon primary products and he was glad to say there was now some sign of an improvement in commodity prices, instancing coffee, cocoa and maize. The increased preference given to the Colonies had come at an opportune time and they had security of markets.

The Colonies were largely dependent for their revenue on tariffs, some of which were fifty per cent. or more, offering scope for agreements between themselves and the Dominions as well as Britain.

A Good Model.

The agreement between Canada and the West Indies was a very good model and opportunities would arise at Ottawa of carrying that agreement further and seeing what development of trade between the Colonies and the Dominions was possible.

He announced that a Bill to give effect to the Government policy in Malta would be shortly introduced in the House of Lords. Government were satisfied that they were proceeding with the unanimous ap-

(*Continued at foot of next column.*)

GERMAN DIET ELECTIONS

RESULTS EXPECTED TO-DAY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, April 24.

The final results of the elections to the Diet are not expected before three on the morning of April 25, owing to the large number Parties who have put forward candidates, and the consequent delay in counting the votes.

Nineteen Parties are participating in the contest in Prussia.

Two Hundred Arrests.

BERLIN, April 24.

There were many election collisions in the working class districts last night when two-hundred arrests were made.

The campaign in the provinces is more bitter than in Berlin, the worst collision occurred at Breslau where a dozen Nazis, Communists and Socialists were sent to hospital.

PRISONERS ATTACK POLICE ESCORT

TEN ESCAPE INTO JUNGLE

HEAD CONSTABLE KILLED: ONE CONSTABLE WOUNDED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LAHORE, April 24.

Despite a most active search, so far there is no trace of the ten prisoners who escaped yesterday while being conveyed from Aligarh to Lahore.

Twenty-five prisoners attacked the police escort at Narwana, a small station between Delhi and Bathinda. The Head Constable was killed and a constable wounded.

The ten prisoners escaped into the jungle with three police rifles and sixty rounds of ammunition. The remaining fifteen were brought to Lahore.

WINDERMERE TRAGEDY

EDITOR OF "MANCHESTER GUARDIAN" DROWNED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, April 22.

Mr. E. T. Scott, the editor of the *Manchester Guardian*, the world-famous Liberal journal, lost his life by drowning in Lake Windermere to-day.

The tragedy has caused a profound sensation in the newspaper world where Mr. Scott was universally popular.

It appears that Mr. Scott, who was with his son, boarded a dinghy and began to pull out to their yacht lying at anchor in deep water. The dinghy capsized but there seemed no occasion for alarm.

The boy clung to the keel, while his father, who was a strong swimmer began to swim for the shore, to bring out another boat.

He sank suddenly and failed to reappear.

[The late Mr. Edwin Taylor Scott, B.Sc. Econ., was the youngest son of Mr. C. P. Scott, who edited the *Guardian* from 1872 to 1929. He succeeded to the editorship when his father retired from the post.

Born in 1883, he was educated at Rugby and Corpus Christi College, Oxford, as well as the London School of Economics. He was private secretary and A.D.C. to Sir Sydney Olivier when the latter was Governor of Jamaica from 1907 to 1909. From the latter year to 1911, he was engaged in financial journalism, and then he joined the staff of the *Manchester Guardian*. In March, 1915, he joined the R.F.A.

He was married in 1907 to Miss Mabel Josephine Hobson, daughter of Mr. J. A. Hobson, the well-known writer on economics, and there were two sons and two daughters by the marriage.

proval of the Commons and in the true interest of the people of Malta.

Referring to Malaya, he regretted that despite every effort during the recent negotiations, it was impossible to frame an effective scheme of control for rubber, but thought that the right course had been taken in examining the matter at once and announcing the result plainly and unequivocably.

The period of the Mandate in Irak was drawing to a close and the Council of the League of Nations had recommended Irak's entry to full membership. What had been a backward, impoverished province had become a prosperous State with a stable and competent administration.

During the debate which followed other Colonial questions were raised.

The Under Secretary, replying, said he did not think the interests of the natives were in danger of being overlooked by the Kenya Land Commission which was in the nature of a judicial body.

JAPANESE GARRISON ATTACKED

FIERCE FIGHTING AT IMIENPO

CHINESE FORCES DRIVEN OFF AFTER FIVE HOUR ENGAGEMENT

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

HARBIN, April 24.

There was a serious engagement yesterday at Imienpo, when 7,000 anti-Manchukuo troops attacked the Japanese garrison at Imienpo, assisted by field-guns. They landed several shells among the Japanese and fierce fighting went on for five hours.

With the assistance of an armoured train the Japanese counter-attacked and finally drove off the Chinese who are reported to have left behind, thirty dead and many wounded. The Japanese casualties are not stated.

KOREAN TROOPS TO REMAIN IN MANCHURIA

TOKYO, April 24.

A message from Seoul to the Press says that the Korean troops which were scheduled to return to Korea from Manchuria on Tuesday will probably be retained in Manchuria temporarily, owing to the grave situation due to banditry.

KIRIN CAVALRY BRIGADE ROUTED

TELEGRAPH WIRES AND RAIL TRACKS DESTROYED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, April 23.

After routing the Kirin Cavalry Brigade, a body of 3,000 insurgents occupied Sanchaho, a town on the southern branch of the Chinese Eastern Railway and destroyed railway tracks and telegraph wires, thus paralysing communications between Harbin and Chungchun, and holding up a train from there, they seized Japanese passengers, according to Press reports to Tokyo.

Japanese residents in the neighbouring town of Taolaichao are also reported to have been abducted.

On receipt of the news, a Japanese detachment was hastened to the scene.

RAIL COMMUNICATION RESTORED

HARBIN, April 24.

Railway communication with Changchun through Sanchaho has been restored, Railway Guards having driven off the attackers who captured Sanchaho.

MANCHUKUO SNUBS COMMISSION

DANGER TO DR. KOO. EMPHASISED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, April 23.

The League Commission is most worried according to the Mukden Press, owing to the Manchukuo authorities' refusal to accord a formal interview or to allow Dr. Wellington Koo to accompany the Commission outside the Japanese zone.

The Manchukuo Government is indignant because the Commission entered Manchuria without formal notification of their visit, thus ignoring the existence of the Independent State.

According to the Tokyo Foreign Office, Japan is unable to guarantee Dr. Koo's safety, if he leaves the railway zone or even goes outside the South Manchuria Railway zone to the north of Changchun, though ready to do her best to protect him.

MANCHUKUO PEEVED

CHANGCHUN, April 24.

The Manchukuo Government has sent Notes to the League and the British and American Governments regarding the Dr. Wellington Koo question, and the League Commission visiting Manchuria without notifying the Government thereof.

TECHNICAL ADVISER

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WEIHAIWEI, April 23.

Acting on instructions received from the British Legation, the British Consul, Mr. G. S. Moss, has sailed for Dairen to join the League Commission as Technical Adviser.

Mr. Moss was formerly Consul at Nanking and was transferred to Weihaiwei in November, but proceeding first to Chinchow as observer, and arrived here in the middle of January.

OFFICIALS APPOINTED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, April 23.

In accordance with the policy of appointing officials of all races resident in Manchuria, according to talents and qualifications, Manchukuo has announced the appointment of four ex-officials of the Japanese Government to the key positions in the Changchun *régime*. According to a Changchun message to Rengo the appointments will enable the Japanese to dominate Changchun's Ministries of Finance, Foreign and Home Affairs, and the Mukden Provincial Police Bureau.

STIMSON POLICY SPECULATION

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

GENEVA, April 22.

Mr. H. L. Stimson, the American Secretary of State, and M. Hymans, the chairman of the Assembly Committee of Nineteen, have been in close deliberation on the situation in the Far East.

What transpired during the conversations is not known, but Mr. Stimson is credited, unofficially and without confirmation, with using his influence in favour of a more energetic policy.

GENEVA BECOMING RESTLESS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

GENEVA, April 24.

The Japanese delegation has not received instructions from Tokyo anent the Committee's Shanghai resolution.

Delegates of the smaller Powers are evincing impatience and are holding their own private meetings at which, Reuter learns, ideas for early decisive action are clearly crystallising. The feeling is growing that the disputants must be bound to accept a neutral decision.

If a unanimous agreement is not forthcoming promptly, there is talk of summoning at the earliest date a meeting of the full Assembly for taking action under Clauses IV. and X. of Article Fifteen of the Covenant.

SIR JOHN SIMON GOES TO LONDON

GENEVA, April 24.

Sir John Simon left at 1.10 p.m. by 'plane for London on family reasons. He hopes to return on Tuesday is time for the meeting of the Committee of Nineteen, which will discuss the Sino-Japanese affair.

CONCENTRATION IN PACIFIC.

UNITED STATES DECISION REGARDING FLEET

Washington, April 14.—Navy Department officials said to-day that the Department was considering keeping the entire United States Fleet in Pacific waters indefinitely.

No orders to that effect have been issued as yet, it was said, but it was implied that Department heads are considering issuance of general instructions in view of the apparently continuing nature of the Far East emergency.

It was meanwhile reported that the State Department had suggested that the Scouting Fleet, which was sent to the Pacific for manoeuvres in Hawaiian waters and along the West Coast of the United States some weeks ago in accordance with prearranged plans, remain in the Pacific without returning to former bases in the Atlantic.

Navy Department officials declined to confirm the report that such a suggestion had been made, but it seemed plain that State Department information and advice had played a part in building up the general tentative plan with reference to disposition of ships.

THE LATE ROBERT SHORT

LAID TO REST AT HUNGJAO AERODROME

WILL LIVE FOR EVERMORE AS A NATIONAL HERO

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, April 24.

There was one of the biggest funerals in the history of Shanghai when Robert Short, the young American aviator who was recently killed in an air battle over Soochow, was buried at the Hungjao Aerodrome with full military honours. Chinese firms and shops flew their flags at half-mast and Church bells were tolled.

The interment was preceded by a service in the Moore Memorial Church which was attended by representatives of the Government and the Chinese community. At the conclusion of the service the coffin was borne to a motor hearse by four Chinese and four American aviators. A vast concourse of Chinese lined the route of the funeral procession despite the rain. Thirty motor-cars laden with wreaths preceded the bier.

Mayor Wu Teh Chen at the grave-side bowed thrice before the coffin and Chinese soldiers fired three volleys, while a military aeroplane circled above.

Funeral orations were delivered by Government and civilian spokesmen extolling his bravery and paying homage to Robert Short, who would live for evermore enshrined in Chinese hearts as being equal to a national hero.

The funeral cortege stretched for several blocks of buildings, consisting of official delegates, Boy Scouts and Girl Guides. Dense crowds flowed into the centre of the roads blocking the progress of the procession and a police cordon was forced to clear the way.

GENE TUNNEY'S BABY

GANGLAND'S LATEST THREAT

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NEW YORK, April 23.

Gangland is apparently unperturbed by the outcry against the Lindbergh Baby kidnapping outrage, as the latest object of their attention is Gene Tunney ex-Heavy-weight Champion of the world, who has received a note threatening to kidnap his five-months' old son.

Early last month, while the Tunneys were at Bermuda, they were also obliged to seek Police protection for their child.

Mrs. Tunney, like Mrs. Lindbergh, is a millionaire's daughter.

POLICE VERSUS BANDITS

DETECTIVES FATALLY WOUNDED

(Reuter's Special Service.)

MARSEILLES, April 22.

One detective was shot dead and two more fatally wounded when the suburban Post Office at St. Barnabe was the scene of a fierce revolver battle between Police and bandits.

Some weeks ago it was learned that bandits were planning a raid at the Post Office and a detective guard was accordingly despatched.

Last evening at closing hour the clerk's suspicions were aroused by four men, who lingered, consulting the telephone directory. When the detectives were summoned, the men fired revolvers at point blank range while taking cover behind the opaque grille on the counter, and shooting through the pay windows, they hit three of the detectives and drove the officials upstairs. They then fled into the street where one was captured by a passer-by.

OIL SLUMP

DUE TO MALICIOUS RUMOURS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, April 23.

"Malicious rumours" is another decisive counter blast to yesterday's oil speculation. It was contained in an official statement issued by Lord Bearsted, Chairman of the Shell Transport and Trading Company, in which he says that the rumours regarding the position of the Royal Dutch Shell group have been circulated with malicious intent, by persons having as their object personal gain. The statement adds that the Company's financial position and the concerns interested in it is strong and as liquid as ever, and capable of weathering any present or future storm.

"REDS" BUSY AT AMOY

ATTACKING FORCE STEADILY ADVANCING

"IRONSIDES" IN VICINITY OF HANGCHOW

[NAVAL WIRELESS.]

The following message was received from H.M.S. Devonshire at 9.30 p.m. on Saturday:—

Situation quiet but a little anxiety is beginning to be felt at Amoy because of rumours of intended Communist demonstrations. Communists are reported to be five miles from Sung Sui. Communist handbills were distributed last night (Friday) in Kulangsu.

Reports from uncountry are very conflicting.

CANTON, April 23.

Confirmation has been received here of the grave threat to Amoy and the serious Communist disturbances in Fukien.

The situation is attracting the attention of both the Nanking and Canton Governments which are taking joint action to organize an expedition to Fukien.

The fall of Amoy to General Sun Lien Chung, the erstwhile Military Governor of Kiangsi, who revolted against the Nanking *régime* and turned Communist, is expected hourly, it being pointed out that Amoy is almost defenceless without outside assistance because of the Communist occupation of Changchow and Nantsinghsien.

The Government forces at Amoy under General Chang Chen (Chang Chang) are retiring in disorder before the "rebel" army.

MINISTER OF WAR TO ACT

The latest Nanking messages to hand show that the Government is in constant touch with the Minister of War, General Ho Ying Ching, over the latest developments at Amoy.

The Government has recommended the organization of an anti-Communist expedition under the Minister of War who was recently appointed anti-bandit commissioner of five provinces in Southern and Central China, comprising Kiangsi, Fukien, Kwangtung, Kwangsi and Kweichow, with General Chen Tsai Tong, of Canton as his assistant.

GUNBOATS IN ACTION

The Nanking Naval Department has advised the Commander of the First Nanking Naval Squadron under Commander Chen Kwei Liang to leave with his vessels for Amoy.

The Minister of War will leave for Nanchang in Kiangsi during the week-end where he will establish the headquarters of the anti-bandit expedition. The Nanking Commanders will lead their armies from Kiangsi to the Fukien border.

Both Kiangsi and Fukien being infested with Communists, it may take the Nanking forces several days to fight their way through to Amoy. Consequently General Ho Ying Ching has wired to the Canton Government suggesting that General Chen Tsai Tong should send his regiments there *via* the East River and Swatow.

NANKING ANXIETY

The Nanking Commanders in their *communiqué* to Canton emphasize the importance of confining the Communist disturbances to Changchow and Nantsinghsien and preventing the Communist influence from spreading to the seaports, as an outlet to the sea would certainly mean an increase of the "Red" strength.

General Li Yang King, the well-known Cantonese army commander

EAST RIVER IN FLOOD

SURROUNDING COUNTRY SUBMERGED

CATTLE KILLED: RICE CROPS RUINED

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 24.

The recent continual rains have caused considerable damage in the East River districts. A number of dykes in Ho Yuen and Bok Law districts were washed by the rushing river, and the adjacent land is submerged. Many houses built of sun-dried bricks collapsed, and the inhabitants, all farmers without exception, had to move to the distant hills. A number of cattle perished, and the coming rice crops were ruined.

A part of Shektung, a big commercial centre in the lower part of

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in charge of the East River garrison, has instructed the officers of the seventh and eighth Cantonese divisions in the Swatow and Chaochowfu areas to keep a vigilant lookout for Communist penetration of Kwangtung.

Meanwhile the military authorities are building an aerodrome at Chaonan to facilitate the landing of military aeroplanes sent from Canton for observation work in the up-country districts near Swatow.

Some Cantonese contingents sent to relieve the Changchow situation have reached points as far as Shanghang in Fukien and other cities on the Kwangtung-Fukien frontier and there is every prospect of their reaching Amoy earlier than the Nanking divisions organized in Kiangsi.—*Canton Gazette.*

MILITARY ACTIVITY ON S'HAI-NINGPO RAILWAY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, April 23.

The *Evening Post* learns that the advance guards of General Chang Fat Fui's famous "Ironsides" have arrived in the vicinity of Hangchow, where they are making preparations for the arrival of the main force, which is travelling afoot from Kwangsi.

The *Evening Post* says that the number of troops in the Hangchow area is swelling daily with the arrival of fresh units, and estimates that 20,000 are already there.

It declares that trains filled with troops were seen daily on the Shanghai-Ningpo Railway, along which every station is occupied by soldiers, and adds that preparations were being made to provide shelter at Soochow for the Nineteenth Army in the event of a fall back from Quinsan. Entrenchments are being constructed with bricks taken from Soochow's ancient walls, and other military preparations are being made.

CANTON TROOPS RUSHING TO CHANGCHOW

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 24.

Cantonese troops under General Chang Mai Sun are rushing to Changchow, which has fallen into the hands of the Communist hordes, in three directions to stem the advances of the "Reds" in compliance with instructions from General Chen Tsai Tong. The Canton Higher Command is determined to recapture Changchow and all the other lost territory nearby. Seven Canton planes are co-operating in the campaign against the "Reds" in Fukien.

50,000 REFUGEES

FOOD PRICES SOARING: FINANCIAL CONFUSION

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, April 23.

Tokyo reports to the Navy Office state that 50,000 refugees poured into Amoy as the result of the fall of Changchow to the rebels.

The price of foodstuffs in Amoy is soaring and financial confusion is created by the banks transferring silver in hoards to Kulangsu.

MISSIONARIES IN DANGER

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, April 23.

Owing to rebel threat against Tungan, five American missionaries with three children have been evacuated from Tungan, where General Chang Chen's Chief of Staff at Hankuikung is reorganising the defeated Government forces.

The rebels have captured Chaowei (probably Kiowei, fifteen miles eastward of Changchow).

the East River, is also under water. The river at this point is reported to have risen more than ten feet. Similar conditions prevail in Ho Yuen, where most of the streets are more than two feet under water.

Two large sampans full of cargo, which were on their way to the market down the East River, struck a rock and sank. The current of the River had become so swift as a result of the recent torrential rains that the masters were unable to man their boats. As a result, three boatmen lost their lives, and valuable cargoes were lost.

Week End Sport.

THE INTERPORT TRIAL

ENCOURAGING CRICKET ON CLUB GROUND.

THE SITUATION CLEARS: R. ABBIT'S SELECTIONS.

The weather on Saturday last was most propitious and although it was on the warm side, we must expect that sort of thing at this time of year. The Trial started promptly at two p.m. and Mitchell's eleven, which turned out as selected, went in to bat on a good wicket which was still soft enough to impart a good deal of turn to a spun ball. Folley turned out for the other side which was captained by Alan Reid. Gosano, at the Yard end, and Duckitt opened the bowling and in the former's second over he bowled Richardson with a yorker which the batsman seemed to try and turn to leg. (10-1-5). The score mounted steadily to thirty-six after each bowler had sent down four overs, and A. C. Hamilton relieved Gosano while at the Law Court's end Reid bowled, and took Zimmern's middle peg with a beauty which straightened out after pitching on the leg stump. Reid promptly went off and Pat Madar in his place took a brilliant catch and bowl low down to the left to send Ride back without scoring. The shot itself was not a bad one—a low hard drive, but the batsman was a shade early. With Mitchell in a deadly dull period ensued, as the new-comer never managed to get the ball away while E. F. Fincher played for keeps and never tried to—or so it appeared. The next ten—singles—took twenty minutes. Mitchell hit a hard drive off Madar but Gosano at mid-off failed to hold a hot chance. With McLellan on the rate of scoring improved though Reid, who relieved Madar at the other end kept the batsmen down to one run per over. When Gosano went on for McLellan however a separation was effected as Fincher hit out at one but played it on to his wicket. He had played careful but correct cricket, and his twenty-seven runs took him sixty-five minutes.

Another Stand.

Madar and Mitchell continued confidently, though the latter was badly dropped at point, when he scored a single to send the hundred up. At 108 he retired with a good thirty-six to his credit. It was said he was dropped four times but I fancy the two wicket catches were from Madar's bat. I asked Mitchell and he admitted two only. Beck did not stop long, Pereira had a rapid ten, and Minu went to his third ball, smartly taken in the slips off Hamilton, who had greatly improved after getting his first wicket, Beck, at extra-cover. With Burnett in Rumjahn was put on with a view, I believe, to obtaining information. They got it as in his first over Burnett lifted a full toss to the City Hall, and next ball but one, pitched a square-leg hit right across Queen's Road. Twenty-five runs came in two overs. Hamilton meanwhile had taken Madar's wicket apparently off his pads, and later bowled Burnett's middle stump. He had made a vigorous eighteen.

Reid's Side Bat.

MacKay and Rumjahn opened to Pereira, who bowled from the Law Court's end, and Minu. They played very correct and cautious cricket to some excellent bowling. The fielding was definitely brisk. At 13 Pereira who had dropped a little pace after his first four overs put down a particularly speedy one which kept very low and took MacKay's middle stump. Gosano who succeeded played excellently. I had not realized he had such defence and such a straight bat. The score mounted to thirty-six, when Rumjahn drove one to Beck at mid-off who only partially stopped it. Rumjahn however evidently thought it had gone right past him and called Gosano who had pulled up. Beck's return, if a bit high was plumb over the sticks and Hunter had the bails off at once. A great pity, as I should have liked to have seen more of the victim.

Bowling Changes.

Beck meanwhile had relieved Minu and two runs later he took Rumjahn's leg ball with a beauty. McLellan got twelve practically all by a sort of draw shot to mid-wicket, before Burnett got him. It looked to me as if he played the ball on to his foot and it shot back hard into the wicket. Hamilton had previously played most delightfully free cricket but skied one to extra cover at sixteen and Minu took an uncommonly nasty catch very well. Minu then had a go at the Law Court's end for Burnett but was a bit on the short side.

Dog Eat Dog.

Pereira had also gone on at the Yard end and he got Patterson to scrape forward at his slower ball—a leg break, and Hunter brought off a smart bit of stumping at the expense of the opposition wicket keeper. Duckitt hit three fours directly he came in and then scored three singles in about twenty minutes. A. H. Madar bowled three maidens running, got a wicket with his twentieth ball, and was promptly put to long leg by Teddy Fincher for four. Play ceased at 6.20 p.m., which I thought rather a pity as the light was excellent and it was much cooler.

Results.

The game has been useful though not startling. There was more good throwing in than I expected, but that department wants a tremendous lot of improvement. One thing I thought clear was that neither wicket-keeper was sufficiently outstanding to get in on that alone. To me the solution seems to be Moir, and failing him, Mackay. We seem to have struck rather a curious balance in the skill of batsmen and bowlers here. The batsmen are good enough to keep the bowlers out of their wickets so long as they do not try to score anything but a stray single once every two overs. The bowlers can keep them stuck up like this but can't get 'em out! I speak of our better bats of course.

My Selections.

It is pretty difficult to know where one is as regards possibles. E. C. Fincher definitely could not go on Thursday. He could on Friday. Yesterday I learn he cannot. This I assume in suggesting who I think might go. I assume the fact that either Pat Madar or Arthur Rumjahn definitely can go but that definitely both cannot. I should prefer Madar as he always gets wickets, though we are short a slip and A.A. is the best in Hong Kong. Ride definitely cannot go I should like to see the following chosen, putting in case of alternatives my actual choice, the second name coming in only if the first cannot go.

E. J. R. Mitchell.
J. E. Richardson.
F. D. Pereira.
A. R. Minu.
A. H. Madar.
C. C. Burnett.
A. C. Burnett.
A. C. Hamilton.
E. F. Fincher.

Pat Madar *or* A. A. Rumjahn.
E. L. Gosano *or* E. Zimmern.
Capt. Moir *or* N. A. E. MacKay.

Taking the left hand names you have eight bowlers. Taking those on the right you have six, but two good slips. We shall see.

R. ABBIT.

FULL SCORE AND ANALYSIS.

E. J. R. Mitchell's XI.

J. E. Richardson, b Gosano	5
E. Zimmern, b Reid	21
E. F. Fincher, b Gosano	27
L. T. Ride, c and b P. Madar	0
E. J. R. Mitchell, retired	38
A. H. Madar, b Hamilton	28
A. C. Beck, c MacKay, b Hamilton	2
F. D. Pereira, c McLellan, b P. Madar	10
A. R. Minu, c Fincher, b Hamilton	0
C. C. Burnett, b Hamilton	18
J. Hunter, not out	1
Extras (Byes)	12
Total	160

Fall of wickets: 1/10, 2/36, 3/42, 4/80, 5/108, 6/112, 7/128, 8/128, 9/150, 10/160.

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Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
E. L. Gosano	8	0	26	2
E. R. Duckitt	4	1	13	0
A. C. Hamilton	11.1	2	28	4
A. Reid	7	2	8	1
P. Madar	9	0	31	2
D. McLellan	3	0	19	0
A. A. Rumjahn	2	0	25	0

A. Reid's XI.

N. A. E. MacKay, b Pereira	5
A. A. Rumjahn, b Beck	14
E. L. Gosano, run out	13
D. McLellan, b Burnett	19
A. C. Hamilton, c Minu, b Burnett	16
E. R. Duckitt, not out	15
W. D. Folley, c Beck, b A. H. Madar	1
W. Patterson, st. Hunter, b Pereira	4
P. Madar, run out	1
E. C. Fincher, not out	0
A. Reid, did not bat	0
Extras (Byes) 17; no ball 1	18
Total (for 8 wickets)	108

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
F. D. Pereira	10	4	20	2
A. R. Minu	10	3	23	0
A. C. Beck	6	3	18	1
C. C. Burnett	6	0	17	2
A. H. Madar	4	3	5	1
*J. E. Richardson	3	0	8	0

*Bowled one no-ball.

LAWN BOWLS.

TAIKOO COMMENCE THE SEASON.

KEEN ENTHUSIASM ON OPENING DAY.

Taikoo Recreation Club opened their lawn bowls greens on Saturday and the customary enthusiasm was maintained on the occasion. As usual the ladies took keen interest in the practice game during the afternoon and their active participation conduced to a very enjoyable afternoon's sport.

The players, including the ladies, divided themselves into "A" and "B" teams on four rinks. At the end of the day's play, the "A" team returned a majority of 26 shots. They won on three of the rinks, which gave them a total gain of 38 shots, but on the fourth rink they lost by 12 shots.

Among those present were Mr. K. E. Greig (President) and Mr. A. R. H. Phillips (Vice-President), who took part in the game. Mrs. Greig and Mr. J. Mitchell (Chairman) were unfortunately prevented from being present.

Before calling on Mrs. Phillips to present souvenir spoons to the winning rinks, Mr. Stewart commented on the enthusiasm displayed during the afternoon which gave promise of a successful season. He paid a tribute to the outstanding play of the ladies.

Mr. Greig endorsed Mr. Stewart's remarks regarding the play of the ladies and wished Taikoo every success this season, adding that he would like to see more younger members taking up the game.

Teams and Scores.

The following were the teams and the scores on each rink:—

"A" Team.		*"B" Team.*	
C. Summers		Nisbet	
Mrs. Keown		Mrs. Watson	
J. A. Watson		S. Hope	
D. Munro (Skip)	22	R. Keown (Skip)	17
Mrs. Chalmers		R. Bell	
Miss C. Weir		Mrs. Stewart	
J. Polson		A. Stalker	
J. Chapman (Skip)	11	T. Grimes (Skip)	23
A. R. H. Phillips		K. E. Greig	
D. Bone		Mrs. Polson	
G. Stewart		W. Brown	
D. Wotherspoon (Skip)	26	R. K. Duncan (Skip)	11
R. Wright		E. Greenwood	
Mrs. Grimes		Mrs. Summers	
J. Sloan		J. MacIndoe	
G. McLeod (Skip)	26	J. Chalmers (Skip)	8
	85		59

LEAGUE SEASON.

The League season does not commence until May 7, the opening games for that day being as follows:—

Division I.

Kowloon Dock B.C. *v.* Craigengower.
Kowloon C.C. *v.* Kowloon B.G.C.
Police *v.* Club de Recreio.
Civil Service *v.* Taikoo.

Division II.

Taikoo *v.* Yacht Club.
Craigengower *v.* Kowloon C.C.
Recreio *v.* Civil Service.
Kowloon B.G.C. *v.* Electric R.C.

SHARPE'S TICKET SETS ANOTHER RECORD.

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Race 5.

Mr. H. S. Chan's Racing Boy (Mr. G. Roza) 1
Messrs. Kong Bros. Lunar Star (Mr. Pan) 2
Messrs. Tester and Abraham's The Tiger (Mr. Frost) 3

Won by short head, dead heat between second and third.
Time: 1 min. 28.4 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $34.30.
Places: $9.50; $10.60; $12.

Betting.

	Winner.	Place.
Champagne Bay (Lobel)	42	80
Daylight Eve (A. Roza)	173	212
King's Service (Butler)	73	180
Lunar Star (Pan)	431	461
Nippy (Ip Kui Ying)	302	626
Racing Boy (G. Roza)	353	599
The Tiger (Frost)	355	565
Tiana (F. Soares)	422	519
Valorous (Harriman)	602	801

Race 6.

Mr. Samson's Princess Hall (Mr. Soares) 1
Messrs. Li and Li's Don (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 2
Mr. L. Dunbar's Chateau Bay (Mr. Butler) 3

Won by two lengths; the same between second and third.
Time: 2 mins. 32.4 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $34.60.
Places: $12.50; $7.60; $10.50.

Betting.

	Winner.	Place.
Ajax (Loo)	15	29
Chateau Bay (Butler)	416	523
Dee (G. Roza)	210	312
Doctor's Mandate (Liang)	273	494
Don (Ip)	574	1,097
Princess Hall (Soares)	336	387
Punch (Pan)	401	608
Snappy Eve (Ahern)	12	32
The Lion (A. Roza)	85	160
Tontine (A. Botelho)	116	171
Workable Stag (Frost)	206	443

Race 7.

Mr. Rustic's Kate (Mr. Ip) †1
Mr. Fung's Indiana (Mr. Fung) 2
Mr. Hosie's Philanderer (Mr. Frost) 3
Mr. Aitch Aitch's Chivalrous (Mr. Butler) 4

Won by a neck; two lengths between second and third.
Time: 3 mins. 03.2 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $30.10.
Places: $9; $32.60; $7.80.
†—Subsequently disqualified.

Betting.

	Winner.	Place.
Adam (A. Gordon)	312	385
Aircraft (Pan)	32	89
Bistro (Soares)	322	456
Britannic Hall (Reidy)	21	57
Chevalrous (Butler)	325	490
Gold Ring (Harriman)	174	311
Indiana (Fung)	82	112
Kate (Ip Kui Ying)	394	695
King's Counsel (H. Botelho)	41	66
King's Parade (G. Roza)	328	366
Merry Thought (A. Roza)	19	35
One Third (Carroll)	4	14
Philanderer (Frost)	570	1,095
Sanction (Liang)	26	51
Venus (A. Botelho)	10	22
Wonderful Stag (Loo)	35	46

Race 8.

Mr. Helenside's Helter Skelter (Mr. Butler) 1
Messrs. Hall and Shenton's Wembley Stag (Mr. Frost) 2
Mr. Samson's Alexandra Hall (Mr. Botelho) 3

Won by short head; two lengths between second and third.
Time: 2 mins. 03.1 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $87.70.
Places: $32.40; $9.40; $31.30.

Betting.

	Winner.	Place.
Alexandra Hall (Botelho)	102	160
Amos (Fischer)	16	30
Cloudy Eve (Lobel)	9	23
Deveron (Ip)	999	1,358
Empress Hall (Benham)	16	15
Helter Skelter (Butler)	145	242
Iloilo (Miles)	97	135
Imperial Hall (Liang)	61	147
Just Imagine (Fung)	16	36
King's Norton (Proulx)	39	68
Little Beaver (Soares)	783	683
Orlando (Loo)	112	111
Paul Pry (Harriman)	20	38
Silver Bells (A. Roza)	25	85
The Plover (Carroll)	7	17
Tommy Boy (G. Roza)	113	205
Wembley Stag (Frost)	505	953
De Bene (A. Botelho)	323	387
Estrellita (Alves)	94	137
Firefly (Carroll)	47	58
Gamester (Fischer)	17	27
Hirwego (B. Botelho)	216	253
Jupiter (Lobel)	63	61
Kanpaz (Rees)	92	101
The Curlew (Butler)	89	156
The Rainstorm (Tang Man Wa)	130	185
Until Then (Miles)	842	1,026
Valley Hall (Black)	125	164
Vim (Choy)	11	12
White Label (A. Soares)	113	177

CASH SWEEPS.

Race 1.

No. 106	$868.10
,, 324	248.00
,, 150	124.00

Unplaced:—Nos. 125, 259, 86, 189, 126, 339.

Race 2.

No. 328	$815.40
,, 487	815.40
,, 204	181.20

Unplaced:—Nos. 208, 449.

Race 3.

No. 363	$1,083.40
,, 110	312.40
,, 177	156.20

Unplaced:—Nos. 330, 525, 163, 154, 464, 17, 358, 316, 138, 346, 140, 198, 406, 190, 551.

Race 4.

No. 425	$1,388.90
,, 368	306.20
,, 398	197.60

Unplaced:—Nos. 537, 396, 349, 593, 503, 445, 532, 398, 332, 56.

Race 5.

No. 138	$1,071.60
,, 50	358.20
,, 572	358.20

Unplaced:—Nos. 512, 460, 606, 423, 259, 87.

Race 6.

No. 28	$2,945.60
,, 15	841.60
,, 65	420.80

Unplaced:—Nos. 263, 418, 284, 324, 25, 130, 346, 540.

Race 7.

No. 641	$1,776.60
,, 556	507.60
,, 414	253.80

Unplaced:—Nos. 145, 51, 487, 447, 427, 251, 211, 381, 306, 775, 665, 620, 709.

Race 8.

No. 399	$1,618.40
,, 416	462.40
,, 337	231.20

Unplaced:—Nos. 366, 465, 581, 377, 111, 477, 426, 468, 650, 142, 537, 907, 570, 722.

Race 9.

No. 332	$1,939.00
,, 130	554.00
,, 363	277.00

Unplaced:—No. 387.

Race 10.

No. 380	$2,048.20
,, 50	585.20
,, 625	292.60

Unplaced:—Nos. 794, 571, 23, 650, 136, 342, 705, 308, 47, 510, 22, 663, 624.

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INDIAN CRICKET TEAM'S TOUR.

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SPECIAL COACHING BY TARRANT

London, April 17.—The Indian cricket team who will tour England during the coming summer arrived at Dover to-day on board the str. Starthmore. Sir Kynaston Studd, a former Lord Mayor of London, representing the M.C.C., Mr. A. E. R. Gilligan, who captained the M.C.C. team who visited India a few years ago; Mr. D. R. Jardine, the newly-appointed captain of Surrey; Mr. K. S. Duleepsinhji, the captain of Sussex; Mr. P. F. Warner, and Mr. R. D. G. Loveson Gower were among the many prominent cricketers and others present at Victoria Station to welcome the visitors.

The Maharajah of Probandhar, the captain of the visiting side, interviewed by Reuter's said that the team were keen to get to work, and they hoped the weather would be kinder. He said it would take his men a little time to get used to the conditions in England, but they would endeavour to play bright cricket and to acquit themselves creditably.

Prior to sailing from Bombay for England, the Indian team had a month's coaching from Frank Tarrant, the famous Australian and Middlesex cricketer, at Patiala. The side is by no means the strongest that India can field, as there are many notable absentees from the list of those finally selected. K. S. Duleepsinhji, the Sussex captain, declined to join the team, while the Nawab of Pataudi caused a sensation in Indian cricket circles by withdrawing his name at the last minute. Then Champak Mehta, L. P. Jai, and H. J. Vajifdar, three outstanding cricketers, found themselves unable to make the journey. Prince Jahangirkham is the deputy vice-captain.

The Team.

The members of the team who arrived in England to-day are:—

The Maharajah of Probandhar (captain), Prince Jahangirkham of Limbdi (Vice-captain) (Bombay and Western India), Jehangir Khan (Lahore), C. K. Nailu (Bombay and Western India), Wazir Ali (Punjab, Sind, and United Provinces), Nazir Ali (Punjab, Sind, and United Provinces), Lall Singh (Malaya), J. G. Navle (Punjab, Sind, and United Provinces), B. E. Kupadia (Bombay and Western India), J. Naomal (Punjab, Sind, and United Provinces), S. R. Godambe (Bombay and Western India), M. Nissar (Punjab, Sino, and United Provinces), Joginder Singh (Punjab, Sind, and United Provinces), N. D. Marshall (Bombay and Western India), Ghulam Mahomed (Punjab, Sino, and United Provinces), Amar Singh (Bombay and Western India), S. H. Colah (Bombay and Western India), C. Palia (Belgan and Madras).

The Indian team will play 36 matches during their tour, including a Test Match against England's full strength, at Lord's, on June 25.

COMING SHORTLY
TO THE KING'S

TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

BROADCAST BY Z.B.W. ON 355 METRES.

11 to 11.30 a.m.—Stock quotations.
11.30 a.m.—Chinese recorded programme.
12.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor records.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, mail notice, etc.
2 p.m.—Close down.
5 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.
7 to 10.30 p.m.—European programme.
7 p.m.—Stock quotations, mail notice, etc.
7.03 to 7.18 p.m.—"Rienzi—Overture." (Wagner).—Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Leopold Stokowski.—6624/6625.
7.18 to 7.43 p.m.—

A Concert.

Piano Solo—"Malaguena." (Lecuona).—Olga Samaroff.—7304.
Violin Solo—"The Rosary." (Nevin-Kreisler).—Fritz Kreisler.—1320.
Song—"Clair de Lune." (Moonlight) (Szulc).
Song—"Swing Low Sweet Chariot." (arr. Burleigh).—Dame Nellie Melba (Soprano)—6733.
Piano Solo—"Novelette in D." (Schumann).—Harold Bauer.—7122.
Violin Solo—"A Dream." (Cory-Bartlett).—Rance Chemet.—1442.
Song—"Romance" (Leslie-Donaldson).—John Boles (Tenor).—22230.
7.43 to 8 p.m.—

Hawaiian Music.

"Under the Stars of Havana."
"Blue Waters."—Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra.—21822.
"Lepo Ulaula."
"Pa'olo-Hula."—Sam-Ku-West Harmony Boys."—21419.
8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
8.03 to 8.40 p.m.—

Operatic.

Song—"Mignon—I'm Fair Titania" (Thomas).
Song—"Tales of Hoffman—Doll Song" (Offenbach).—Marion Talley (Soprano).—6713.
Band—"Pearl Fishers—Selection" (Bizet, arr. Creatore).—Creatore's Band.—36001/36002.
Song—"Aida—Celeste Aida" (Verdi).
Song—"Forza del Destino" (Verdi).—Thou Heavenly One.—Enrico Caruso (Tenor).—6000.
8.40 to 8.58 p.m.—"Peer Gynt Suite No. 1" (Grieg, Op. 46).—New Queen's Hall Light Orchestra conducted by George Schneevoight.—9309/9310.
8.58 to 9.15 p.m.—

Concert Waltzes.

"Gypsy Souvenir—Medley" (arr. Schaeffer-Paepke).
"Hungarian Flower" (arr. Schaeffer-Paepke).—Hungarian Rhapsody Orchestra.—36029.
"Hudson Waves" (Pignoloni).
"The Swing."—Victoria Orchestra.—36376.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Tsang Fook Co.

9.15 to 10.05 p.m. (Approx.).—Relay of the Anzac Day Dinner from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden.

Programme.

Toast "The Anzacs."—Proposed by Dr. H. D. Matthews.
Reply by Mr. C. de Saille-Robertson.
Toast—"Allied Forces at Gallipoli."
Reply by Lt.-Col. A. R. Godwin Austen, O.B.E.
Humorous Verse.—Mr. F. V. Whitta.
Community Song—"The Road to Gundagai."
Recitation—Mr. C. de Saille-Robertson.
Humorous Verse—Mr. F. V. Whitta.
Community Song—"Crosjingalong."
The Chairman—Dr. H. D. Matthews, M.B., will make a short speech.

Speech will cover success of function, and announcement of formation of Australian and New Zealand Association in Hong Kong.

10.05 to 10.30 p.m.—Vocal Gems from Gilbert and Sullivan, from Z.B.W.'s Library.

"The Pirates of Penzance."—Columbia Light Opera Co.
"The Gondoliers."—Columbia Light Opera Co.
"Patience."—Columbia Light Opera Co.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby mid-day Press news.
10.33 p.m.—Close down.

EARLY THOUGHTS ON CHAMPIONS.

SWITZERLAND STILL INSPIRES CONFIDENCE.

SUB-RIBBON OR ZETA BEST OF SUBS.

[BY "CHING" IN THE N.C.D.N.]

Shanghai, April 12.—Congratulations to the Stewards and members of the Shanghai Race Club for having brought off the first three Extra Meetings of the season's racing in the successful manner they did, thus doing their share in helping to bring Shanghai back to normal. Also congratulations for the happy gesture extended to the International Recreation Club in allowing them the use of the course for two days' racing at Easter, and still more congratulations to those Chinese members of that club who entered and raced their ponies, as also to the jockeys, who rode them. All this is as it should be, for it is the duty of one and all to get Shanghai back to normal in all respects with as little delay as possible. It is the future of this big city we must all keep in mind; the past is past and let it be buried, though I fear it cannot be forgotten.

On Saturday next, the Shanghai Race Club are to hold their 4th Extra Meeting, to be followed on April 23, by the postponed meeting of the Shanghai Paper Hunt Club. Then, on April 30, May 2, 3, 4, and 7, the Shanghai Race Club's Spring Meeting will take place, and I hear it is practically settled to allow the International Recreation Club the use of the course again for a two days' meeting on May 14 and 16. This probably will mark the finish of the half-year's racing, instead of running into the first week of July, as would have happened if all had been normal.

S.R.C. Spring Entries.

Entries for the Shanghai Spring Meeting closed some ten days ago. They are wonderfully good and are well ahead of those of last spring, both in the number of stables and ponies entered, as also in entrance fees. As there are 141 griffins entered and amongst them several who promise to develop into first-class ponies, there is every prospect of a most interesting and successful meeting. Between now and Derby I shall hope to be able to go into the griffin proposition more carefully, and give my ideas of the ones most likely to show up to advantage at the meeting.

The three Extra Meetings results have not given us very much of a line on how the Champions may pan out, the only ponies so far qualified to run and whom I can count upon being in the picture being Boot Black, School Boy, and Mister Cinders, all trained and owned (or part owned) by our very capable lady trainer—owner. Switzerland ran unplaced at the 2nd Extra Meeting, but I predict a different result the next time we see him out with his jockey up in the ever popular "royal blue." The pony is putting in some useful training work, and the party who draws him in the big sweep stake on the Champions will, I think, have good reason to feel satisfied with his luck.

Busy Bee has been out twice lately and ran each time most disappointingly, and on his present form he cannot be seriously discussed as the likely Champions winner. The Crafty Bird has run second each time out—and good seconds at that—and he confidently can be looked upon as one who may have to be reckoned with when the field for the big race lines up under the Starter's orders. There are others, including possibly a griffin or so, but there will be time enough to thrash out all this later on, when the date of the race becomes nearer.

Handicap for Saturday.

On Saturday next, the programme includes one steeplechase and eleven races on the flat, many of which are handicaps, and until I have seen the handicap weights it would be better to hold back any suggestions as to likely ponies to follow.

The Shanghai sub-griffins have given good racing between a few of them, and in most cases they have run true to form. On the Sub-Derby running, there is no doubt

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U.S. BASEBALL.

FRIDAY'S RESULTS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

New York, April 22.

Baseball games played to-day resulted as follows:—

National League.

Philadelphia	8	New York	13
Boston	4	Brooklyn	1
Pittsburg	3	St. Louis	5
Chicago	5	Cincinnati	4

American League.

Cleveland	3	Detroit	16
St. Louis	4	Chicago	1

SATURDAY'S MATCHES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

New York, April 23.

Following are the results of games played on Saturday:—

National League.

Boston	7	Brooklyn	1
Philadelphia	7	New York	2
Pittsburg	10	St. Louis	9
Chicago	2	Cincinnati	1

American League.

Cleveland	8	Detroit	7
New York	16	Philadelphia	5
Washington	5	Boston	0
St. Louis	11	Chicago	6

about the winner being the pick of the bunch, and he was certainly unfortunate not to have run an unbeaten pony so far. If all goes well between now and the date of the race, I shall expect to see him annex the Sub-Champions in the same style and manner as he won the Derby, though there may be some possibly who think the shorter distance of 1½ miles will be more to Zeta's liking.

It was with considerable satisfaction that we witnessed Mr. "Jeromi" leading in his winner on Saturday. As Clerk of the Course, our friend puts in some very conscientious and hard work, and, though at times I have heard growls, I doubt if anyone else would give us a better course on race days than he has done.

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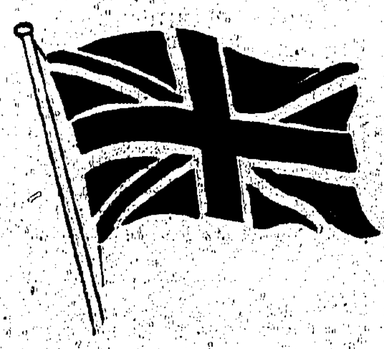

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APPOINTMENT OF MANAGER

(Reuter's Special Service.)

LONDON, April 22.

Mr. Justice Bennett, in the Chancery Division to-day, granted leave to serve a notice of motion next Tuesday for the appointment of a Receiver and Manager of the estate of the late Mr. Edgar Wallace.

DATE OF LAUSANNE CONFERENCE

(Reuter's Special Service.)

PARIS, April 23.

The heads of Delegations at Geneva are reported to have agreed to fix June 16 as the date for the meeting of the Lausanne Conference, and to offer the Chairmanship to M. Theunis, the Belgium ex-Premier.

ANOTHER ARREST IN INDIA

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NEW DELHI, April 23.

Malaviya, President Designate of the Congression Session, has been arrested because he entered Delhi after a prohibition had been served on him, similar to Naidu.

BOMBAY, April 23.

Mrs. Naidu has been sentenced to a year's imprisonment.

ROYAL VISIL TO ALDERSHOT

LATEST ARMY DEVICES INSPECTED

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, April 22.

The King and Queen, accompanied by the Princess Royal, inspected various Army units at Aldershot, including some of the latest types of anti-aircraft guns, artillery and bridging devices.

His Majesty himself gave orders by wireless to the driver of a small car which went through a number of evolutions.

REMARKABLE INCIDENT AT U.S. COLLEGE

GIRLS' DORMITORIES RAIDED

(Reuter's Special Service.)

NEW YORK, April 22.

One of the most remarkable incidents in the somewhat chequered history of American colleges had a sequel at Cambridge, Massachusetts, to-day, in the expulsion of eight undergraduates from the local university.

This drastic step was the result of a raid by scores of excited young men on the dormitories of the Radcliffe Women's College.

The women boarders met their shouting attackers with reprisals and a riot ensued which was not quelled and the combatants dispersed until the police had employed tear-gas bombs against them.

The troubles apparently started when the undergraduates serenaded the girls when they were going to bed, after which they grew more daring and broke into the dining-room and removed the gong as a trophy.

They were demonstrating in the corridors outside the dormitories of the colleage when the police arrived.

ARTISTIC PAIR

MR. PROCTOR AN A.R.A.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

LONDON, April 22.

Mr. Ernest Proctor, the husband of the well-known artist, Mrs. Dod Proctor, has been elected an A.R.A.

PREMIER INUKAI GRANTS INTERVIEW TO CHAPLIN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, April 24.

Charlie Chaplin's secretary, who is now here, has intimated to Premier Inukai Charlie's desire to have an interview when he arrives at Tokyo. Inukai has granted this request and will autograph a scroll of Chinese characters to present to the comedian, who is due to arrive at Kobe on May 3, aboard the s.s. Hakosaki Maru.

COLONY'S FINANCES.

TWO MILLION SURPLUS LAST YEAR.

SATISFACTORY CREDIT BALANCE.

The current issue of the *Government Gazette* contains a comparative statement of the Colony's revenue and expenditure for 1931, from which it is seen that the excess of revenue over expenditure totalled $1,985,949.73. The credit balance was $11,347,629.

Revenue for the twelve months totalled $33,146,723, on an estimate of $27,488,750, or $5,655,964 more than was budgeted for.

The expenditure was $31,160,774, which is $1,352,919 above the estimate of $29,787,855.

Comparing the revenue with 1930, a net increase of $5,328,250 is shown. All headings showed increases excepting interest, which declined $166,339, and miscellaneous receipts, which dropped $1,248,959.

Taxation Increases.

The biggest increase was in respect of licences and internal revenue, which were $4,765,301 better than in 1930. This, of course, is explained by the increases in taxation.

The Post Office makes the next best showing, revenue from this source showing an increase of $660,731. On an estimate of $1,360,000, the actual receipts were $2,035,988. In comparison, the expenditure for this department totalled only $354,893, thus disclosing a profit of $1,481,045.

Expenditure totalled $3,041,128 more than in 1930, there being increases under 29 headings and decreases under eleven.

The biggest increase in expenditure, compared with the previous year (apart from the Military Contribution, which has risen $1,068,329) was $272,378 by the Public Works Department. On the other hand, Public Works Extraordinary shows a decrease of no less than $475,566.

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Pres. Jackson, Dollar, April 26.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
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MACASSAR.

Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., April 26.

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MARSEILLES.

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Changte, B. and S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.

MEXICO.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 21.

NAPLES.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.

NEWCHWANG.

Tean, B. & S., April 29.

NEW GUINEA.

Bremerhaven, Melchers, May 28.

NEW YORK.

Pres. Jackson, Dollar April 26.
Javanese Prince, Furness, May 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Pres McKinley, Dollar, May 10.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Chinese Prince, Furness (May 16.
Pres. Grant, Dollar, May 24.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.

NORTH CHINA PORTS.

Burgenland, Jebsen, April 25.
Afrika, Manners, May 1.
Coblenz, Melchers, May 4.
Australien, Manners, May 31

ORAN.

Nagara, Gilman, May 5.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Nanking, Swedish, May 27.
Tamara, Swedish, June 27.

PAKHOI.

Kingyuan, B. & S., May 6.

PANAMA CANAL.

Pres. Jackson, Dollar April 26.
Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Pres McKinley, Dollar, May 10.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 21.
Pres. Grant, Dollar, May 24.

PENANG.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 26.
Hosang, J. M. & Co., April 28.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Takada, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Kutsang, J. M. & Co., May 6.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Sirdhana, M. M. & Co., May 17.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 28.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.

PIRAEUS.

Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

PORT SAID.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 26.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Saarbrucken, Melchers, April 30.
Malaya, Manners, May 2.
Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Nagara, Gilman, May 5.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.
Tamara, Swedish, June 27.

PORT SWETTENHAM.

Adrastus, B. & S., May 11.

RABAUL.

Nellore, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, May 28.
Tanda, M. M. & C., June 3.

RANGOON.

Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.

ROTTERDAM.

Calchas, B. & S., April 25.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Oregon Star, Dodwell, April 30.
Saarbrucken, Melchers, April 30.
Leverkusen, Jebsen, May 1.
Malaya, Manners, May 2.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Antenor, B. and S., May 11.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, May 10.
City of Bedford, Bank Line May 15.
Ruhr, Jebsen & Co., May 15.
Burgenland, Jebsen, May 20.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Coblenz, Melchers, June 1.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
City of Derby, Bank Line, June 12.

SANDAKAN.

Mausang, J. M. & Co., April 27.
Hinsang, J. M. & Co., May 6.

SAIGON.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 26.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Pres. Jackson, Dollar, April 26.
Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Pres McKinley, Dollar, May 10.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar, May 24.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 1.

SCANDINAVIAN PORTS.

Malaya, Manners, May 2.
Nagara, Gilman, May 5.
Nanking, Swedish, May 27.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.
Tamara, Swedish, June 27.

SEATTLE.

Heian Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, April 30.
Protesilaus, B. & S., May 5.
Pres. Jefferson, Dollar, May 14.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Pres. Madison, Dollar, May 28.
Ixion, B. & S., June 4.

SHANGHAI.

Diomed, B. & S., April 25.
Kidderpore, M. M. & Co., April 25.
Chenonceaux, M.M., April 26.
Heian Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Suiyang, B. & S., April 26.
Kwaisang, J. M. & Co., April 27.
Nanking, Gilman, April 27.
Tsinan, B. and S., April 27.
Hector, B. & S., April 29.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Kwangtung, B. & S., April 30.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Afrika, Manners, May 1.
Daviken, J. M. & Co., May 1.
Sunning, B. & S., May 1.
Shantung, B. & S., May 3.
Fooshing, J. M. & Co., May 4.
Himalaya, Dodwell, May 4.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 4.
Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Glenapp, J. M. & Co., May 5.
Ranchi, M. M. & Co., May 5.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 5.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 6.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 8.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., May 6.
Yatshing, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Athos II, M.M., May 10.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 15.
Naldera, M. M. & Co., May 19.
Emp. of Asia, C.R.P., May 20.
Glenshiel, J. M. & Co., May 20.
Tamara, Gilman, May 22.
D'Artagnan, M.M., May 24.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., May 20.
Australien, Manners, May 31.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., June 1.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 1.
Kaisar-I-Hind, M. M. & Co., June 2.
Santhia, M. M. & Co., June 2.
Empress of Canada, C.P.R., June 3.
Nankin, M. M. & Co., June 6.
Andre Lebon, M.M., June 7.
Rajputana, M. M. & Co., June 16.
Emp. of Russia C.P.R., June 17.
Glengarry, J. M. & Co., June 17.
Felix Roussel, M.M., June 21.
Soudan, M. M. & Co., June 28.
Mantua, M. M. & Co., June 30.

SINGAPORE.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 26.
Hai Hing, Thoresen, April 28.
Hosang, J. M. & Co., April 28.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Takada, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Kutsang, J. M. & Co., May 6.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Adrastus, B. & S., May 11.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Malacca, Maru, N.Y.K., May 15.
Sirdhana, M. M. & Co., May 17.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Fushimi Maru N.Y.K., May 28.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 28.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Empress of Canada, C.P.R., June 3.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.

SOURABAYA.

Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., April 26.

SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

Tinhow, Bank Line, April 25.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast).

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 21.

STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

Pembrokeshire, J. M. & Co., April 23.
Alipore, M. M. & Co., May 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Nagara, Gilman, May 5.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Nanking, Swedish, May 27.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.
Tamara, Swedish, June 27.

SUEZ CANAL.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 26.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Saarbrucken, Melchers, April 30.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.
Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.

SWATOW.

Haining, Douglas, April 26.
Suiyang, B. & S., April 26.
Kwaisang, J. M. & Co., April 27.
Chipshing, J. M. & Co., April 29.
Haiyang, Douglas, April 29.
Daviken, J. M. & Co., May 1.
Kalgan, B. and S., May 1.
Sunning, B. & S., May 1.
Hiram, Thoresen, May 1.
Haiching, Douglas, May 3.
Shantung, B. & S., May 3.
Fooshing, J. M. & Co., May 4.
Yatshing, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Cheongshing, J. M. & Co., May 13.

SYDNEY.

Nellore, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, M. M. & C., June 3.
Changte, B. and S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.

TAKU.

Hector, B. & S., April 29.
Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.

TIENTSIN.

Kwaisang, J. M. & Co., April 27.
Chipshing, J. M. & Co., April 29.
Kueichow, B. & S., May 1.
Huichow, B. & S., May 4.
Cheongshing, J. M. & Co., May 13.

THURSDAY ISLAND.

Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Changte, B. and S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.

TOWNSVILLE.

Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Changte, B. and S., June 21.

PASSENGERS.

Departures.

The following passengers left yesterday for Vancouver via Shanghai and Japan ports per the "Empress of Russia":—Mrs. K. Amthor, Miss Amthor, Mr. Howard H. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bryce Allan, Mr. C. Abolafia, Mrs. E. C. Bacon, Mrs. M. E. Beard, Mr. P. Bigazzi, Mr. P. S. Beduin, Mr. G. G. Bradford, Mr. M. M. Bates, Mrs. Burkhatter, Mrs. A. W. Cook, Mr. Chan Foo Woo, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Crowe, Capt. D. R. M. Cameron, Mr. Chan Pak Fun, Mstr. F. H. Chan, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Mr. A. Clarke, Mr. K. S. Chung, Mr. D. A. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Chan Mrs. K. C. Chun, Miss Wai Chun, Miss Pauline Chun, Mrs. Leng Chun, Miss Jone Chun, Mstr. Monty Chun, Mstr. Kid Chun, Mrs. Lee Chun, Miss Mimi Chun, Miss Peach Chun, Mr. and Mrs. Chiu Ching Choun, Mr. and Mrs. Chun Koe Bow, Mr. Paget Ching, Mr. W. M. Chung, Mr. Chan King Poy, Mr. Chan Min Fung, Mrs. C. F. Cheung, Mr. Chan Min Fung, Mr. P. F. Devlin, Mr. Doong Vung Tsung, Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Deane, Mrs. T. F. Donahue, Mrs. A. D. Davis, Mrs. R. M. Davis, Mrs. E. E. Ellis, Miss G. Ezra, Mrs. T. E. Flaherty, Miss G. M. Flaherty, Mr. J. C. Gaullaudet, Mr. and Mrs. Gor Tsou Gee, Lt. and Mrs. C. S. Graybeal, Mrs. D. Gibbon, Mr. E. B. Hornell, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Howell, Mr. E. Howell, Mlle. V. Heimann, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hackman, Mr. O. Hemosura, Mr. Ho Bing Luen, Mr. and Mrs. Ho Kim Wai, Miss R. M. Ho, Lt. and Mrs. A. N. Hickey, Mr. A. P. Kirsop, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. King and family, Mlle. Alice Kopp, Mrs. Kee Jack Chun, Mr. G. Klein, Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Kwan, Mr. and Mrs. Kwan Yuan San, Mrs. We K. Kedinger, Mr. S. K. Loo, Mr. Lee Yew Chan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Lengen, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lui, Dr. and Mrs. Lazalin, Mr. Loh Hong Koo, Mrs. J. A. Lynch, Mr. M. Leung, Mr. B. Lucano, Mr. Lan Foi, Miss Grace Liang, Mr. J. Lynch, Mrs. Loomis, Miss D. Loomis, Mr. G. S. Lee, Mr. H. A. McComb, Mrs. M. N. Menocal, Miss Menocal, Mr. Ma Wing Ching, Mrs. C. Q. Marron, Miss R. J. Marron, Mr. and Mrs. C. Manfield, Mrs. Monaghan, Mrs. H. C. Moi, Mr. O. P. Marchant, Miss W. Y. Mak, Mr. and Mrs. McClure, Miss Y. McClure, Mr. J. E. Noronha, Mr. and Mrs. Ng, Mr. Ong Whan, Mrs. L. L. Parkman, Mr. D. A. Pantanico, Mr. M. del Prin, Mrs. H. Philpott, Mrs. J. S. Philips, Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Reynolds, Mrs. V. N. Rottler, Mr. and Mrs. J. de los Reyes, Miss G. A. Stephens, Maj. General J. W. Sandilands, Mrs. Shiu, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Seth, Mr. G. Juan San, Miss So Ju Lai, Mrs. J. W. Smyly, Miss E. L. Lu Tseu, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomson, Mrs. To, Mr. S. S. Tseng, Dr. M. T. Z. Tyai, Mrs. H. C. Treherne, Dr. P. Trentzsch, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. S. Thomson, Mr. U. Kiu Iu, Mr. R. Vazeille, Mrs. E. Vaughan, Mrs. P. S. Wong and Family, Miss Wai Yuen, Mr. Wai Hee, Lt. and Mrs. Wanamaker and family, Mrs. P. C. Wirtz, Mrs. E. G. West, Miss P. W. West, Mrs. A. A. Watson, Mr. Wing Fok Chau, Mr. Wong Ken Ming, Mr. Won, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Young, Mr. H. L. Yung, Mr. W. H. Youngblood, Mrs. Young, Mr. F. T. Yong, Mstr. Yih, Chun, Capt. and Mrs. Zuppann.

TSINGTAU.

Suiyang, B. & S., April 26.
Sunning, B. & S., May 1.
Daviken, J. M. & Co., May 1.
Shantung, B. & S., May 3.
Fooshing, J. M. & Co., May 4.
Yatshing, J. M. & Co., May 8.

UNITED KINGDOM and CONTINENT.

City of Bagdad, Bank Line, May 10.
City of Bedford, Bank Line May 15.
City of Derby, Bank Line, June 12.

VALENCIA.

Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

VANCOUVER.

Heian Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Protesilaus, B. & S., May 5.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
Emp. of Asia, C.R.P., May 20.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Empress of Canada, C.P.R., June 3.
Ixion, B. & S., June 4.
Emp. of Russia C.P.R., June 17.

VENICE AND TRIESTE.

Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.

VICTORIA.

Pres. Taft, Dollar, April 30.
Protesilaus, B. & S., May 5.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
Pres. Jefferson, Dollar, May 14.
Emp. of Asia, C.R.P., May 20.
Pres. Madison, Dollar, May 28.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.R., June 3.
Ixion, B. & S., June 4.
Emp. of Russia C.P.R., June 17.

VLADIVOSTOCK.

Diomed, B. & S., April 25.
Glenapp, J. M. & Co., May 5.
Glenshiel, J. M. & Co., May 20.
Glengarry, J. M. & Co., June 17.

WEIHAIWEI.

Kueichow, B. & S., May 1.
Huichow, B. & S., May 4.

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG.

ADEN.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 20.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.

ALEXANDRIA.

Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.

ALGIERS.

Nagara, Gilman, May 5.
Nanking, Swedish, May 27.
Tamara, Swedish, June 27.

AMOY.

Haining, Douglas, April 26.
Tsinan, B. and S., April 27.
Haiyang, Douglas, April 29.
Kwangtung, B. & S., April 30.
Yuensang, J. M. & Co., May 2.
Haiching, Douglas, May 3.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 4.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 5.
Kumsang, J. M. & Co., May 18.
Talma, M. M. & Co., May 19.
Santhia, M. M. & Co., June 2.

AMSTERDAM.

Saarbruecken, Melchers, April 30.

ANTWERP.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

Nellore, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., June 3.
Changte, B. and S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.

BALBOA.

Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.

BALI.

Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., April 26.

BALTIC PORTS.

Malaya, Manners, May 2.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.

BALTIMORE.

Adrastus, B. & S., May 11.

BANGKOK.

Bintang, Manners, April 28.
Hiram, Thoresen, May 1.
Kalgan, B. and S., May 1.
Kweiyang, B. and S., May 6.

BARCELONA.

Saarbruecken, Melchers, April 30.
Burgenland, Jebsen, May 20.
Coblenz, Melchers, June 1.

BATAVIA.

Tjisaroea, J.C.J.L., May 3.

BEYROUTH.

Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

BOMBAY.

Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Alipore, M. M. & Co., May 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Ranpura, M. M. & Co., May 7.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Chitral, M. M. & Co., May 21.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Ranchi, M. M. & Co., June 4.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.
Naldera, M. M. & Co., June 18.

BOSTON.

Javanese Prince, Furness, May 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Adrastus, B. & S., May 11.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Chinese Prince, Furness (May 16.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.

BREMEN.

Saarbruecken, Melchers, April 30.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Coblenz, Melchers, June 1.

BRINDISI.

Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.

BRISBANE.

Nellore, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., June 3.
Changte, B. and S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.

CAIRNS.

Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Changte, B. and S., June 21.

CALCUTTA.

Hosang, J. M. & Co., April 28.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., April 29
Takada, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Alipore, M. M. & Co., May 1.
Kutsang, J. M. & Co., May 6.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.
Sirdhana, M. M. & Co., May 17.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 26.

CASABLANCA.

Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.

CHEFOO.

Chipshing, J. M. & Co., April 29.
Huichow, B. & S., May 4.
Kuichow, B. & S., May 7.
Cheongshing, J. M. & Co., May 13.

COLOMBO.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 26.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, April 30.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Glenliffer, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.

COPENHAGEN.

Malaya, Manners, May 2.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.

CRESTOBAL.

Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.

DAIREN.

Tean, B. & S., April 29.
Hector, B. & S., April 29.

DJIBOUTI.

G. Philippar, M.M., April 26.
Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.

DUNKIRK.

Malaya, Manners, May 2.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.

EUROPE

Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.

FOOCHOW.

Haining, Douglas, April 26.
Chipshing, J. M. & Co., April 29.
Haiyang, Douglas, April 29.
Haiching, Douglas, May 3.
Cheongshing, J. M. & Co., May 13.

GENOA.

Saarbruecken, Melchers, April 30.
Leverkusen, Jebsen, May 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Nagara, Gilman, May 5.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Ruhr, Jebsen, May 15.
Nanking, Swedish, May 27.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Coblenz, Melchers, June 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.
Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.
Tamara, Swedish, June 27.

GIBRALTAR.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.

GLASGOW.

Troilus, B. & S., April 27.
Antenor, B. and S., May 11.

HAMBURG.

Calchas, B. & S., April 25.
Oregon Star, Dodwell, April 30.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, April 30.
Leverkusen, Jebsen, May 1.
Malaya, Manners, May 2.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 8.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, May 10.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
City of Bedford, Bank Line May 15.
Ruhr, Jebsen & Co., May 15.
Burgenland, Jebsen, May 20.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Coblenz, Melchers, June 1.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.
City of Derby, Bank Line, June 12.
Burgenland, Jebsen, May 20.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.

HAIPHONG.

Kingyuan, B. & S., May 6.

HAVRE.

Troilus, B. & S., April 27.
Malaya, Manners, May 2.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, May 10.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
City of Bedford, Bank Line May 15.
Teucer, B. & S., May 15.
Afrika, Manners, June 7.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
City of Derby, Bank Line, June 12.

HOIHOW.

Bintang, Manners, April 28.
Kingyuan, B. & S., May 6.
Kweiyang, B. and S., May 6.

HONOLULU.

Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
Pres McKinley, Dollar, May 10.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 15.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.R., May 20.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 21.
Pres. Grant, Dollar, May 24.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 1.
Empress of Canada, C.P.R., June 3.

HULL.

Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.

IZMIR.

Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

ISTANBUL (Constantinople).

Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

ITALY.

Fusijama, Dodwell, May 3.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.

JAPAN PORTS.

Burgenland, Jebsen, April 25.
Diomed, B. & S., April 25.
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Hsian Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Nanking, Gilman, April 27.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., April 27.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Yuensang, J. M. & Co., May 2.
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Coblenz, Melchers, May 4.
Himalaya, Dodwell, May 4.
Tsuyuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Glenapp, J. M. & Co., May 5.
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Ranchi, M. M. & Co., May 5.
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Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 6.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
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Athos II, M.M., May 10.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 15.
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Emp. of Asia, C.P.R., May 20.
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Tamara, Gilman, May 22
D'Artagnan, M.M., May 24.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., June 1.
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Ixion, B. & S., June 4.
Nankin, M. M. & Co., June 6.
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Mantua, M. M. & Co., June 30.

JAVA PORTS.

Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., April 26.

LISBON.

Saarbruecken, Melchers, April 30.

LIVERPOOL.

Troilus, B. & S., April 27.
Oregon Star, Dodwell, April 30.
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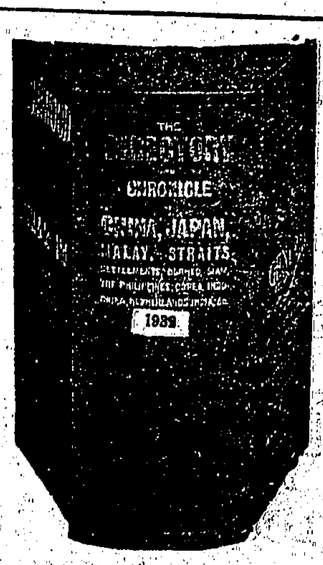

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				Banks				
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...	...	...	£10%	Do. (London) ...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£11	Chartered Banks ...	...	...	...	£12½
...	...	...	£1 3½	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£10½
...	...	...	$7½	Do. "C"	...	...	...	$9
...	...	...	$116	Bank of East Asia...	$118	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	N. C. & S. Banks...	$67	...	...	...
...	...	...	$29	Am. C. Fin. Corp. M	...	...	...	...
				Insurances				
...	...	...	$1,250	Canton Insurances..	...	...	...	$1,260
...	...	...	$4	Underwriters	...	...	...	$4
...	...	...	$460	Union Insurances ...	...	$475	$455	...
...	...	...	$690	China Fires	...	...	...	$560
...	...	...	$1,195	H.K. Fires.....	$1,160	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4	International Assce.	...	...	...	...
				Shipping				
$27	...	...	...	Douglases	...	$27	...	...
...	...	...	$38	Steamboats	...	...	...	$25
...	...	...	$46	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	65/-
...	...	...	$39	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	80/-
...	...	...	31/10½	Shells	29/6	31/9	...	...
...	...	...	$195	Watsons	...	...	...	$19
				Mining				
...	...	...	$15½	Benguets.....	...	...	...	$16
...	28/9	...	$2	Venezuela Gold Fids.	...	$1.60	...	...
...	...	...	T.4	Kailans	...	...	...	29/-
...	...	...	T2.10	Langkats (single)...	...	...	...	T.4
...	...	...	T.2	Explorations.....	...	...	...	T.3½
...	...	...	$36	Shanghai Loans ...	...	...	...	T.2
...	...	...	...	Raubs	...	...	...	$38
$29	ots.	...	...	Tronoh Mines	...	...	...	13/-
				Bengtat Explorations	...	...	...	...
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
...	...	...	$144	H.K. & K. Wharves.	...	...	...	...
$4.80	...	...	...	Providents (old) ...	$4.60	$4.70	$4.65	$144
...	...	...	$2½	Do. (new) ...	$2.35	...	...	...
$21½	...	...	...	H.K. & W. Docks ...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10	S. China Motors "A"	...	...	...	$22
...	$12	...	...	Do. "B"	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	T.98½	Shanghai Docks ...	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	T.5	New Engineerings ...	...	...	...	T.89
...	...	...	T.220	Hongkews	...	...	...	T.6
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
$13.20	...	13.10/.	20	H.K. Hotels C. Rts.	$13.15	...	$13.20	...
$2.40	...	...	...	Do. Rights ...	...	...	...	$2.85
...	...	$76½	...	H.K. Lands	...	...	$76½	...
...	...	...	T.24	Shanghai Lands ...	...	...	...	...
$11.40	...	...	T.10	Metropolitan Lands..	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Realties.....	$11.30	...	...	...
...	...	...	$16½	Humphreys (old)...	...	$16½	...	...
...	...	...	$160	Asia Realties "A" M	...	...	...	...
$98	...	...	$23	Do. "B" M	...	...	...	...
				Chinese Estates.....	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
T.16	T15.90	...	...	Ewos	T.16	...	15/16.	65
...	...	...	T.75	Sthai Cottons.....	...	...	...	T.78
...	...	...	T.10	Zoong Sings	...	...	...	T.70
				Public Utilities				
$22.35	$22.60	$22½	...	Tramways	$ 2.10	...	...	...
...	...	...	$15½	Peak Trams (old)...	...	...	...	$15½
...	...	...	$8	Do. (new)...	$7	...	...	...
$25½	$80½	...	...	Star Ferries	...	...	...	$91½
...	...	...	...	Yaumati Ferries ...	$26½	C. Rts.	...	...
$21.10	...	...	...	Do. Rights	$9	...	...	...
...	...	...	$20½	China Lights (old)...	$21.10	...	21.15/.	35
$73½	...	$73½	...	Do. (new)...	$20½	...	$20.90	...
$24½	...	...	...	H.K. Electrics	$73½	$74	$73½	...
...	...	...	$12	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
$23.10	$24½	$24	$38½	Sandakan Lights ...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	T.16	Telephones (fully pd.)	$23½	...	$23½	...
...	...	...	3/-	Do. (part pd.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	14/-	Tractions	...	...	...	3/-
				Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$31	Malabon Sugars ...	...	...	...	$22
...	...	...	T.14	Caldbeck, (ord.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	T.10½	Macgregors (pref.)	...	...	...	...
$13.35	$18½	18.35/.	$5/5	Canton Ices	...	...	...	$5
...	...	...	$12.55	Cements (comb.)...	$18.40	$18.50	...	...
...	...	...	$5.45	Do. (old)...	...	...	...	$13½
...	...	...	$14.10	Do. (new)...	...	...	...	$5½
...	...	...	$10½	Ropes	$14.10	...	...	...
				Ch. Agricultures ...	...	...	...	...
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	...	$26	Dairy Farms	...	...	$23	...
...	...	...	$1	Der A. Winga.....	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$22½	Amusements (old) ...	...	...	$22½	...
$5.40	$14½	...	...	Ch. Entainments (old)	...	...	...	$14
$12	...	...	...	Constructions, (old)	...	$5.60	...	...
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...	...	...	$5½	Lane Crawfords (old)	$5.75	...	...	...
$20½	...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	14
...	...	...	...	Mackintoshs	$5½	...	...	...
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...	...	ex div	$3.30	Do. Rights.....	$3.35	ex div.	$3.50	...
...	...	...	$10	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	...
...	$10	...	...	M. Greyhounds.....	...	...	...	...
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Wladivostok	12								
Nemuro	11	30.16	766.0			S	2		
Hakodate		30.12	765.0			W	1		
Tokio		30.19	766.9			E	1		
Kochi		29.98	761.5				0		
Nagasaki		29.78	756.5			ESE	3		
Kagoshima		29.80	757.0			ENE	1		
Oshima		29.84	758.0			SSW	2		
Naha		29.90	759.5			SSW	4		
Ishigakijima		29.88	759.0			S	2		
Bonin Island		30.08	764.0			ENE	1		
Chefoo	15	29.88	759.0	52	8	SSE	2	b	6
Shanghai	14	29.83	757.7	67	6	W	2	c	
Gutzlaff		29.85	758.2	61	4		0	m	
Wenchow									
Foochow		29.77	756.1	71	6	S	2	bf	7
Amoy		29.82	757.4	65	8	SSE	2	bc	6
Swatow		29.84	758.0	87		W	3	bc	
Taihoku	11	29.93	760.7	88		W	2	bc	5
Taichu		29.91	759.7	86		SW	2	b	
Tainan		29.91	759.7	86		WSW	2	b	
Koshun		29.86	758.5	85		NW	4	b	
Pescadores		29.90	759.5	81		SSW	4	b	
Hong Kong	14	29.84	758.0	81	8	S	3	bc	6
Gap Rock		29.86	758.4	79	8	SSE	2	b	
Macao		29.88	757.8	85	6	S	2	c	
Hoihow									
Pratas Island		29.87	758.6	85	8	S	2	b	6
Phulien		29.78	755.9	81	6	S	6	c	7
Tourane		29.76	756.0	83	8	SE	2	b	
Cape St. James		29.83	758.2	86	8	ENE	4	bc	
Basco	14	29.88	757.7	83	8	WSW	2	b	6
Aparri		29.81	757.1	91	6	NNW	4	b	
Tuguegarao		29.76	755.8		8		0	bc	
Vigan		29.80	757.0	91	8	WNW	4	b	
Manila		29.80	757.0	98	8	SSE	4	b	
Legaspi		29.94	757.9	91	8	ENE	4	b	
Calboyog		29.88	757.6	86	8	W	4	bc	
Tacloban		29.83	757.6	91	8	S	4	b	
Iloilo									
Cebu		29.80	757.0	88	8	NE	4	bc	
Surigao		29.84	757.9	79	0	E	4	r	
Saipan		11.00							5
Guam		12.22	29.78	756.3		6	E	4	bc
Yap		11.00	29.78	756.5		6	ENE	4	bc
Pelew									
Labuan		14	29.97	761.2	86	4	NW	6	bc

APRIL 24, 1932.

STATION	Hours Sun Shone Past 24	Barometer at Sea Level Inches	Barometer at Sea Level Millims.	Rainfall Past 24 Hours	Rainfall Since 1st Jan.	Wind Direction	Wind Force	Weather	Rainfall Past 24 Hours
Wladivostok									
Nemuro		30.10	765.0			SW	3		
Hakodate		29.92	760.0			WSW	1		
Tokio		30.18	766.5			SE	1		
Kochi		29.76	756.0			SW	1		
Nagasaki		29.78	756.5			WNW	1		
Kagoshima		29.78	756.5				0		
Oshima		29.78	756.5			NNE	1		
Naha		29.84	757.5			SSW	2		
Ishigakijima		29.80	757.0			SE	1		
Bonin Island		30.02	762.5						
Chefoo		29.95	760.6	42	8	NW	6	c	
Shanghai		29.97	761.2	50	8	NW	2	c	
Gutzlaff		29.97	761.2	54	6	NNW	4	c	
Wenchow									
Foochow		29.86	758.4	70	6	E	2	cf	
Amoy		29.86	758.4	74	4	E	2	b	
Swatow		29.90	759.4	75		SW	1	b	
Taihoku		29.80	757.0	72			0	bc	
Taichu		29.88	759.0	70			0	b	
Tainan		29.86	758.4	70			0	b	
Koshun		29.82	757.4	74		NNW	2	b	
Pescadores		29.88	757.7	74		SSW	4	b	
Hong Kong		29.84	757.9	75	7	SW	1	bc	
Gap Rock		29.85	758.2	73	8	S	2	c	
Macao		29.81	757.1	74	4	SW	4	c	
Hoihow		29.85	758.2	79	1	SE	2	bc	
Pratas Island		29.86	758.5	72	8		0	b	
Phulien		29.81	757.1	73	7	SSE	4	c	
Tourane		29.82	757.4	75	4	SSE	1	f	
Cape St. James		29.83	757.9	79	8	ENE	2	c	
Basco		29.84	757.8	72	8		0	b	
Aparri		29.85	758.2	76	6		0	b	
Tuguegarao		29.81	758.2	77	4		0	bc	
Vigan		29.83	757.8	77	8	N	2	bc	
Manila		29.87	758.3	76	6		0	b	
Legaspi		29.84	758.0	81	6		0	b	
Calboyog		29.86	758.4	72	8	WNW	2	bc	
Tacloban		29.86	758.5	77	4	NW	2	b	
Iloilo		29.80	756.8	79	6	NE	4	bc	
Cebu		29.83	757.6	79	8		0	b	
Surigao		29.83	757.7	76	6		0	c	
Saipan									
Guam									
Yap		29.82	757.4		6		0	bc	
Pelew									
Labuan		29.84	758.0	76	8	S	2	bc	

April 24d. 10h. 42m.—The depression has passed into the Sea of Japan. An anticyclone appears to be developing over N. China.

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1, 9.30 inches, against an average of 10.32 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON APRIL 25.

District.	Forecast.
A.—Shanghai to Turnabout	N. winds, fresh; cloudy.
B.—Turnabout to Hong Kong	N.E. winds, moderate to fresh; cloudy.
C.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock D.—Hong Kong to Hainan Straits E—North China Sea	Light, southerly winds, freshening from N.E., fair at first, cloudy with rain later.

C. W. JEFFRIES, *Director.*

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, April 24.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer	29.81	29.8	29.75
Temperature	83	80	81
Humidity	70	79	77
Wind—Direction	S	W	SW
Force	3	2	4
Weather	B	BC	BC
Rain	0.0	0.00	0.00

Highest open-air Temperature, 23 85
Lowest open-air Temperature, 24 75

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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From April 26 to May 1, 1932.

Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water: Hong Kong Standard Time.	High Water: Height	Low Water: Hong Kong Standard Time.	Low Water: Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Mon.	25	01 26	4 2	05 00	3 4
		11 46	7 2	19 31	0 7
Tues.	26	20 49	8 9	05 15	3 7
		13 30	7 0	23 50	0 9
Wed.	27	—	—	—	—
		13 20	6 5	22 15	1 0
Thur.	28	—	—	—	—
		14 20	6 2	23 09	1 3
Fri.	29	07 35	4 6	10 01	4 4
		15 41	5 8	—	—
Sat.	30	07 45	4 8	00 00	1 5
		17 24	5 5	11 29	4 0
Sun.	1	08 00	5 1	00 39	1 8
		18 45	5 4	12 35	3 5

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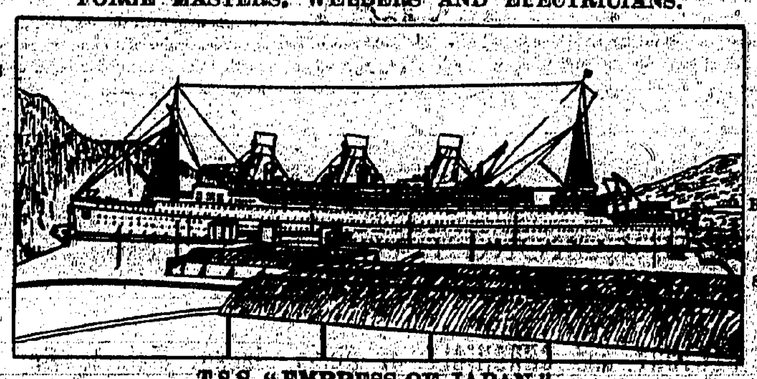

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	"FOOSHING"	Wed., 4th May, at 10 a.m.
	"YATSHING"	Sun., 8th May, at 10 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA ...	"HOSANG"	Thurs., 28th Apr., at 3 p.m.
	"KUTSANG"	Fri., 6th May, at 3 p.m.
KOBE via AMOY, YOKOHAMA & OSAKA	"YUENSANG"	Mon., 2nd May, at 7 a.m.
KOBE via AMOY & OSAKA	"KUMSANG"	Wed., 18th May, at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN ...	"MAUSANG"	Wed., 27th Apr., at Noon
	"HINSANG"	Fri., 6th May, at Noon
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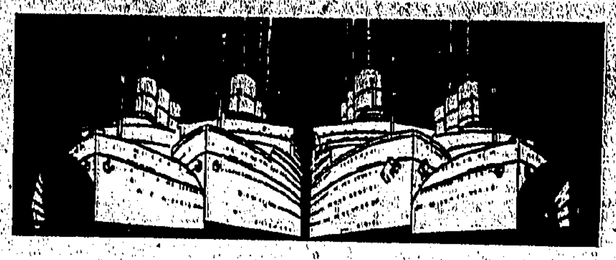

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Emp. of Asia	...May 20	May 23	May 24	May 26	May 28	June 4	June 10
Emp. of Canada	...June 3	June 6		June 8	June 10	June 16	June 21
Emp. of Russia	...June 17	June 20	June 21	June 23	June 25		July 4
Emp. of Japan	...July 1	July 4		July 6	July 8	July 14	July 19
Emp. of Asia	...July 15	July 18	July 19	July 21	July 23		Aug. 1
Emp. of Canada	...July 29	Aug. 1		Aug. 3	Aug. 5	Aug. 11	Aug. 16
Emp. of Russia	...Aug. 12	Aug. 15	Aug. 16	Aug. 18	Aug. 20	Aug. 27	Sept. 2
Emp. of Japan	...Aug. 26	Aug. 29		Aug. 31	Sept. 2	Sept. 8	Sept. 13
Emp. of Asia	...Sept. 9	Sept. 12	Sept. 13	Sept. 15	Sept. 17		Sept. 28
Emp. of Canada	...Sept. 23	Sept. 26		Sept. 28	Sept. 30	Oct. 6	Oct. 11
Emp. of Russia	...Oct. 7	Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	Oct. 15		Oct. 24

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WEEK-END SHIPPING STATISTICS.

During the 24 hours ending at 9 a.m. on Saturday a total of 17 ships brought 12,136 tons of cargo into the Colony, carrying 33,727 tons for through ports. These vessels brought 168 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 24 ships departed from the Colony.

During the 24 hours ending at 9 a.m. yesterday a total of 8 vessels brought 12,103 tons of cargo into the Colony, carrying 7,074 tons for through ports. These vessels brought 1,540 Asiatic deck passengers into Hong Kong. During the period under review 17 vessels departed from the Colony.

WARSHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following warships were in harbour yesterday:—

Basin.—Tamar.
South Wall.—Veteran.
East Wall.—Bridgewater.
North Wall.—Wild Swan.
North Arm.—Cumberland.
West Wall.—Cornwall, Keppel, Witch.
Dock.—Orpheus, Odin, Otus.
Whampoa Dock.—Kent.
Buoy No. 1.—Hermes.
Buoy No. 12.—Whitehall.
Buoy No. 13.—Wren.
Foreign — French Minesweeper Inconstant; Chinese gunboat On Pak.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant vessels were in port yesterday:—

Wharves.

Holt's.—Gaelic Star.
Osaka Shosen Kaisha.—Canton Maru, Haining.

Docks.

Kowloon.—Yuan Jeng, An Lee, Limchow, Pleidon, Venezia, Hwa Hu, Haiching, Tymenic.
Taikoo.—Kueichow, Cape St. Andrew, Chinhua, Heian Maru, Solviken, Breiviken, Hirundo.

Buoys.

No. A3.—Troilus.
No. A8.—Tinhow.
No. A9.—Dunafric.
No. A10.—Seistan.
No. A12.—Pleasantville.
No. B1.—Chipshing.
No. B2.—Sandviken.
No. B3.—Soochow.
No. B9.—Prosper.
No. B10.—Hirundo.
No. B11.—Haihing.
No. B15.—Anshun.
No. B16.—G.G. Maurice Long.
No. B17.—Tonkin.
No. B22.—Mausang.
No. B25.—Susana II.
No. C1.—Bintang.
No. C4.—Haldis.
No. C5.—Shun Chih.

TRAWLER'S SKIPPER FINED.

BLEW SIREN CONTINUOUSLY.

Because he blew the siren on his steam trawler continuously for two and a half miles George Albert Novo, skipper of the Fleetwood trawler Authorpe, was fined 20s. at Fleetwood Sessions. Police Sergeant Mitchell said that Novo blew the siren in short and long blasts all the way down the Wyre Channel.

Novo denied unnecessarily blowing the siren, and said his trawler ran aground on Tiger's Tail sandbank, and he sounded the siren for navigating purposes. It was stated that when Sergeant Mitchell saw Novo on his return from sea he said, "I blew more because my kiddie was not so well.

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CLEARANCES.

April 23.

Canton, for Haiphong.
Cape St. Francis, for Saigon.
City of Elwood, for Yokohama.
Clara Jebsen, for Saigon.
Kamo Maru, for Manila.
Kentucky, for San Francisco.
Koromiko, for Canton.
Kwansai Maru, for Shanghai.
Mandasan Maru, for Hongay.
Pembrokeshire, for Singapore.
Phasianella, for Takao.
President Taft, for Manila.
Proteus, for Hongay.
Rawalpindi, for Singapore.
Rio de Janeiro Maru, for Saigon.
Sebara, for Whampoa.
Sirdhana, for Amoy.
Tonjer, for Chinwangtao.
Tottori Maru, for Nagasaki.

April 24.

Anshun, for Swatow.
Antung, for Amoy.
Canton Maru, for Swatow.
Gaelic Star, for Shanghai.
Hai Hing, for Swatow.
Sandviken, for Swatow.
Hirundo, for Swatow.
Novada, for Manila.
Soochow, for Swatow.
Sui Yang, for Canton.
Sungshan Maru, for Swatow.

ARRIVALS.

April 22.

G. G. Maurice Long Fl., French str., 560 tons, Capt. L. Paul, from Haiphong, buoy No. B16.—Pak Hoi & Co.
President Taft, American str., 8,415 tons, Capt. M. M. Jensen, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—A.M.L.
Rio de Janeiro Maru, Japanese str., 5,846 tons, Capt. T. Ichikawa, from Kobe, buoy No. A6.—O.S.K.
Sunkong, Chinese str., 392 tons, Capt. Leung Pat, from Kwongchow-wan, Saikong Wharf.—Wo Hop & Co.

April 23.

Chip Shing, British str., 1,199 tons, Capt. J. H. Ferguson, from Weihaiwei, buoy No. B1.—J.M. & Co.
Dunafric, British str., 2,134 tons, Capt. E. Jones, from Swatow, buoy No. A9.—Jebsen & Co.
Hai Hing, Norwegian str., 1,443 tons, Capt. Olaf S. Olsen, from Hoihow, buoy No. B11.—Thoresen & Co.
Hydrangea, British str., 661 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On & Co.
Kentucky, American str., 3,343 tons, Capt. T. W. Johansen, from Cebu, buoy No. A5.—States S.S. Co.
Prosper, Norwegian str., 1,377 tons, Capt. E. D. Knutsen, from Swatow, buoy No. B9.—Lee Hong Heng.
Sandviken, Norwegian str., 1,775 tons, Capt. A. Norvalls, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—J.M. & Co.
Sungshan Maru, Japanese str., 1,503 tons, Capt. M. Yamamoto, from Canton, Yaumati Anchorage.—N.Y.K.
Svale, British str., 1,364 tons, Capt. G. H. Wilkins, from Ningpo, Yaumati Anchorage.—Williamson & Co.
Tonkin, French str., 906 tons, Capt. J. Bonnamour, from Fort Bayard, buoy No. B17.—M.M. & Co.
Tottori Maru, Japanese str., 3,708 tons, Capt. K. Imada, from Singapore, buoy No. A2.—N.Y.K.
Troilus, British str., 7,603 tons, Capt. J. Agrew, from Kobe, buoy No. A3.—B. & S.

April 24.

Bintang, Danish str., 1,725 tons, Capt. J. Christensen, from Swatow, buoy No. C1.—John Manners & Co.
Etha Rickners, German str., 3,228 tons, Capt. D. Harff, from Manila, Stonecutters Anchorage.—Siemssen & Co.
Hai Ning, British str., 632 tons, Capt. E. Walker, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.
Hiram, Norwegian str., 1,109 tons, Capt. E. R. Hannevig, from Swatow, buoy No. C2.—Thoresen & Co.
Kalgan, British str., 1,556 tons, Capt. J. D. Whyte, from Swatow, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.
Kidderpore, British str., 3,263 tons, Capt. Wright, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—P. & O. Co.
Proteus, Norwegian str., 1,025 tons, Capt. S. Larsen, from Canton, Yaumati Anchorage.—K. Larsen & Co.
Suiyang, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. Byrne, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.
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"CHITRAL"	15,000	21st May	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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‡†"BANGALORE"	6,500	11th June	Bombay, Mars., L'don., Havre, H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"NALDERA"	16,000	18th June	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KAISAR-I-HIND"	12,000	2nd July	do.
‡†"BHUTAN"	8,000	9th July	B'bay., Mars., L'don., Havre, H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	16th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"MANTUA"	11,000	30th July	do.
‡†"SOUDAN"	8,800	6th Aug.	Bombay, Mars., L'don., Havre, H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	13th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RANPURA"	17,000	27th Aug.	do.
‡†"BURDWAN"	6,000	3rd Sept.	Marseilles, London, Havre, H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
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*"KIDDERPORE"	5,300	25th Apr., Noon	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
*"BANGALORE"	6,500	30th Apr.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"RANCHI"	17,000	5th May	do.
"TILAWA"	10,000	5th May	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"TANDA"	7,000	6th May	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama
"TALMA"	10,000	19th May	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"NALDERA"	16,000	19th May	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
*"BHUTAN"	8,000	1st June	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.
"SANTHIA"	8,000	2nd June	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"KAISAR-I-HIND"	12,000	2nd June	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"NANKIN"	7,000	6th June	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	16th June	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
*"SOUDAN"	6,800	28th June	do.
"MANTUA"	10,000	30th June	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	14th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
*"BURDWAN"	6,500	27th July	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"RANPURA"	17,000	28th July	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"MALWA"	11,000	11th Aug.	S'hai., Moji Kobe & Yokohama.
"RANCHI"	17,000	25th Aug.	Shanghai Kobe & Yokohama

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All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.
All Cabins are fitted with Electric Fans or Punka Louvre Ventilation.
Steamers on London and Australian Lines are fitted with Laundries.
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Hong Kong to Genoa ... ... £57 £52.
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Branches and Agencies:
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Authorized Capital.....Hk.$5,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital..... " $2,572,500.00
Reserve Fund..... " $210,000.00
Total Resources..... " $18,489,430.57

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Safe Deposit Boxes to let at a yearly rental of from $6.00 to $22.50.
Current and Savings Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits received on terms which will be quoted on application.

WONG KWOK SHUEN,
Chief Manager.

NEDERLANDSCH INDISCHE HANDELSBANK, N.V.
(NETHERLANDS INDIA COMMERCIAL BANK)
Established 1863 at Amsterdam.

Authorised Capital
...Glds. 100,000,000.00
Paid up Capital ..Glds. 55,000,000.00
Reserve Fund .....Glds. 29,000,000.00

Head Office:—AMSTERDAM.
Head Office for Asia:—BATAVIA.
Branches in Dutch East Indies, India, Singapore, China and Japan.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Current Accounts, Deposits, etc.

C. E. ENDERT,
Manager.

HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-up...$20,000,000
Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £6,500,000
Silver $10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: HONG KONG.

Board of Directors:
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Calcutta	Kowloon	San Francisco
Canton	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
Chefoo	London	Singapore
Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Dairen	Malacca	Sungei Patani
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Haiphong	Muar (Johore)	Tokyo
Hamburg	Mukden	Tsingtao
Hankow	New York	Yokohama
Harbin	Paris	
Hongkow	Peiping	

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in LOCAL CURRENCY and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods in LOCAL CURRENCY and STERLING on terms which will be quoted on application.
Hong Kong, 5th April, 1932. [26

HONG KONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.
For the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 27th Feb., 1932. [9

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BANKERS
Established 1824.

HONG KONG OFFICE: 11, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Authorised Capital
Gldrs. 150,000,000
Paid-Up Capital..Gldrs. 80,020,000
Reserve Fund.....Gldrs. 40,015,000

Head Office:—Amsterdam.*
Eastern Head Office:—Batavia.
BRANCHES:—Bandjermasin, Bandoeng,* Bombay, Calcutta, Cheribon, Djember, Djokjakarta,* The Hague,* Jiddah, Kobe, Makassar, Medan, Palembang, Pekalongan, Penang, Rangoon, Rotterdam,* Samarang,* Shanghai, Singapore, Soerabaia, Soerakarta (Solo), Tegal, Tjilatjap and Welteverden.*
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A. STOKKINK,
Manager.
Hong Kong, 1st Dec., 1931. [30

THE BANK OF CANTON, LTD.

HEAD OFFICE: HONG KONG.

Hong Kong Currency.
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL...$11,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL 8,665,600
RESERVE FUND 1,100,000

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Foreign Exchange and Banking Business of every description transacted.
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LOOK POONG SHAN,
Manager.
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Paid-up Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors £3,000,000

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BANGKOK	KARACHI	SAIGON
BATAVIA	KLANG	SEMARANG
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CALCUTTA	KUALA	SHANGHAI
CANTON	KANGSAR	SINGAPORE
CAWNPORE	KUALA	SITIAWAN
CEBU	LUMPUR	SOURABAYA
COLOMBO	KUCHING	TAIPING
DELHI	MADRAS	TIENTSIN
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HONG KONG	(Peking)	ZAMBOANGA

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

J. STUART,
Manager.
Hong Kong, April 9, 1932. [30

BANQUE FRANCO-CHINOISE POUR LE COMMERCE ET L'INDUSTRIE
(Incorporated in France).
Prince's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hong Kong.

HEAD OFFICE:
74, Rue St. Lazare, Paris.

	Frs.
Capital, fully paid-up	50,000,000
Special Working Capital	50,000,000
Reserves	33,337,000

BRANCHES:—

Paris	Lyon	Marseilles
Saigon	Haiphong	Hanoi
Tourane	Quinhon	Hue
Vinh	Pnom Penh	
Peiping	Shanghai	Tientsin
	Hong Kong	

BANKERS:
France: Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas, Société Générale.
London: Midland Bank, Ltd.
New York: Irving Trust Co., Banca Commerciale Italiana.
San Francisco: Bank of America, National Trust and Savings Association.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Correspondents throughout the World.

A. L. BRUSSET,
Acting Manager
Hong Kong, 9th March, 1932.

BANK OF CHINA.

Reorganized October 26, 1928, under special charter of The National Government as an
INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK.

Subscribed Capital.....$25,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital.....$24,710,200.00
Reserve Funds $3,320,503.82

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Authorised Capital ...	Straits	$20,000,000
Issued " ...	"	$8,000,000
Paid-up " ...	"	$4,000,000
Reserve Liabilities of Shareholders ...	"	$4,000,000
Surplus ...	"	$2,887,000

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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

TAN ENG HOOI,
Manager.

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Reserves ..... U.S. $1,908,209

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Authorized Capital £3,000,000
Subscribed Capital £1,800,000
Paid-up Capital £1,050,000
Reserve Fund and Rest.... £1,217,927

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HONG KONG BRANCH:
Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Travellers Cheques issued.
Trustee and Executorships undertaken.
INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at Rates that may be ascertained on application.

J. B. ROSS,
Manager.
7, Queen's Road Central.
Hong Kong, 7th April, 1932. [29

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

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Yen 100,000,000
Reserve Fund .....Yen 117,300,000

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(Dalny)	Nagoya	Shimonoseki
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Hong Kong		

Interest allowed on Current Accounts.
Deposits received for Fixed Periods at rates to be obtained on application.

H. MORI, Manager.
Hong Kong, Mar. 11, 1932. [35

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LTD.
ESTABLISHED 1918.

HEAD OFFICE:
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CAPITAL AND SURPLUS ... ... OVER H. $8,000,000.00
TOTAL RESOURCES .. ... OVER H.$30,000,000.00

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LIVERPOOL SERVICE.
"TROILUS" 27th Apr., For L'pool, Havre and Glasgow.
"TEUCER" 18th May, For Liverpool & Havre

NEW YORK SERVICE
"ADRASTUS" 11th May, For Boston, New York & Baltimore via Philippines, Port Swettenham & Singapore.

PACIFIC SERVICE (via KOBE & YOKOHAMA)
"PROTESILAUS" 5th May, For Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle,
"IXION" 4th June, For Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle,

INWARD SERVICE.

	Due	
"DIOMED"	26th Apr.,	For S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Yokohama & Vladivostock.
"HECTOR"	29th Apr.,	For S'hai., Taku & Dairen.

Specially reduced fares are quoted for cargo steamers with limited passenger accommodation.
For freight, passage rates and information apply to the undermentioned.
All bookings are subject to the provisions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

Butterfield & Swire,
Agents. [6

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Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
SHANGHAI and AMOY	*Tsinan* ...	25th Apr.
MANILA	*Pres. Jackson* ...	25th Apr.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Georges Philippar*	23th Apr.
SAIGON	*Chenonceaux* ...	26th Apr.
JAPAN	*Nellore*	28th Apr.
AMOY	*Takada*	28th Apr.
MANILA	*Pres. Taft* ...	29th Apr.
LONDON Parcels only London, 22rd March	*Hikita*	29th Apr.
STRAITS	*Hakozaki Maru* ...	29th Apr.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Hakone Maru* ...	29th Apr.
CANADA, U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C. 9th April)	*Emp. of Japan* ...	29th Apr.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 1st April) ...	*Pres. Pierce* ...	30th Apr.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 8th April) ...	*Pres. McKinley* ...	2nd May
MANILA	*Asama Maru* ...	2nd May
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	*Tanda*	4th May
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Shinyo Maru* ...	5th May
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Ranpura*	6th May
JAPAN	*Manila Maru* ...	6th May

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For	Per	Date and Time
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 26th May	*Chichaw* ...	Monday, 25th, *Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 1.00 P.M. Letters 1.00 P.M. *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 P.M. Letters 2.30 P.M.
Swatow	*Hydrangea* ...	3.00 P.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C. —due Vancouver, B.C., 6th May	*Brian Maru* ...	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Let. 26th, 8.30 A.M.
Manila, Makasser and Sourabaya	*Tjisadane* ...	Tuesday 26th, 9.30 A.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, C. and S. America, and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 17th May and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Pres. Jackson* ...	Parcels Noon Reg. 12.45 P.M. Letters 1.30 P.M.
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Tonkin* ...	1.00 P.M. *Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 1.00 P.M. Letters 1.00 P.M. *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 P.M. Letters 2.30 P.M.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 28th May	*Geo. Philippar*	
Swatow Amoy and Foochow	*Hai Ning* ...	2.00 P.M.
Shanghai and *Japan	*Chenonceaux* ...	2.30 P.M.
Swatow	*Kwaisang*	Wednesday, 27th, 8.30 A.M.
Manila	*Tsoilus*	10.30 A.M.
Sandakan	*Mausang*	10.30 A.M.
Straits and Calcutta	*Hosang*	Thursday, 28th, Parcels Noon Letters 1.00 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiyang*	Friday, 29th, 1.00 P.M.
Japan	*Hakozaki Maru* ...	3.30 P.M.
Manila	*Emp of Japan* ...	5.00 P.M.
Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via Victoria B.C.—due Victoria B.C., 17th May ...	*Pres. Taft* ...	Par. 5.00 P.M. Reg. 4.15 P.M. Letters 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Pres. Taft* ...	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Letters 6.00 P.M. *Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 4.30 P.M. Letters 4.30 P.M. *G.P.O.*
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 23th May	*Hakone Maru* ...	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Letters 6.00 P.M.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 17th May	*Nellore*	Parcels 5.00 P.M. Reg. 30th, 8.45 A.M. Letters 9.30 A.M.
Manila	*Pres. Pierce* ...	Saturday, 30th, 5.00 P.M.
Bangkok via Swatow	*Kulgan*	— MAY — Sunday, 1st, 9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haeching*	Tuesday, 3rd, 1.00 P.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 25th May and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Asama Maru* ...	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Let. 4th, 8.30 A.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 3 d June	*Ranpura* ...	Friday, 6th, *London P.O.* Par. 6th, 4.30 P.M. Reg. 7th, 9.00 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M. *G.P.O.* Par. 6th, 5.00 P.M. Reg. 7th, 9.45 A.M. Letters 10.30 A.M.

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Bank Bills, 4 months' sight	1/3
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Documents, 4 months' sight	1/4⅛
ON PARIS:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	590
Credits, 4 months' sight	640
ON NEW YORK:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	23⅛
Credits, 60 days' sight	24⅛
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ON CALCUTTA:— Telegraphic Transfer Bank, on demand ...	87⅞
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ON YOKOHAMA:— On demand ...	70⅛
ON MANILA—On demand....	46⅛
ON SINGAPORE:— On demand ...	53⅛
ON BATAVIA:—On demand.	58⅛
ON HAIPHONG:— On demand ...	69
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